

Rumanians Abandon Alt River Line

U-BOATS OPERATING OFF U. S. COAST WARNING SENT BY BRITISH WARSHIP

New York, Nov. 27.—Apprehension is felt in shipping circles here in view of the large number of passengers and freight steamships passing this port and the reported proximity of German submarines. Rumors of several days to the effect that two German submarines have broken through the Allied cordon and were on their way to the Atlantic coast received official recognition in the general warning sent out last night by the British cruiser Lancaster.

The warship, stationed 15 miles southeast of Sandy Hook, cautioned all steamships flying the flags of the entente allies to beware of hostile submarines on this side of the Atlantic. The British wireless said: "German submarines may be met anywhere in the Atlantic, especially west of sixty degrees west. Show no unnecessary lights. Avoid all trade routes and converging points."

Not since the U-53 entered Newport Harbor, October 7, and on the following day sank several British merchant vessels has there been so much uneasiness in marine circles. It is believed that the merchant vessels of the Allies now leading in this port will not venture out until the British government gives assurances that the seas are clear and the danger remote.

Among the steamships belonging to the allied countries due to arrive this week are the Cunard Line steamers *Laocon* and *Panama* with passengers from Liverpool and London respectively. The anchor liner *Tuscany*, from Glasgow; the *White Star* liner *Lapland*, from Liverpool; the *Decca* D'Aosta from Genoa, and the *Bernadine* from Bermuda. The freighters due include the *Celtic* and *Bowie* of the *White Star* Line.

Almost a score of French and British merchantmen have sailed from this port within the last two days and all of these vessels are within the zone which is supposed to be most dangerous.

A number of large steamers are also approaching Boston and Philadelphia.

Noted Suffrage Leader Loses Struggle For Life



Inez Milholland Boissevain.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 27.—Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain, New York suffrage leader, died Sunday at a local hospital.

She was taken ill on the arrival here of the women's special train, which crossed the continent in the campaign for Charles E. Hughes for the presidency. Blood transfusion was resorted to half a dozen times in an effort to save her life, but to no avail.

AGED COUPLE TO MARRY

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 27.—William McGrew, 71, and Mrs. Mary W. Crain, 69, neighbors in Montgomery, Ohio, for 50 years, secured a license to wed in the probate court today.

GETTING READY FOR HARD GRIND

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—In preparation for the hard grind of finishing up business in less than eighty working days, the house appropriations committee got down to work on the appropriation bills and took up first legislative, executive and judicial measures carrying about \$55,000,000.

PLACE CONTRACT FOR A CRUISER

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—The Seattle Construction and Dry Dock Company today was awarded a contract by the navy department for the construction of one 35 knot scout cruiser for \$4,976,000. Delivery will be made within thirty months.

Compers Again Heads The American Federation of Labor

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 27.—The American Federation of Labor unanimously re-elected the following officers:

President, Samuel Compers; first vice president, James Duncan; second vice president, J. O'Connell; third vice president, D. A. Hynes; fourth vice president, Joseph P. Valentine; fifth vice president, John R. Alpine; sixth vice president, H. B. Perham; seventh vice president, Frank Duffy; eighth vice president, William Green; treasurer, John B. Lennou; secretary, Frank Morrison.

Buffalo was chosen as the meeting place of the convention next year.

Wheat Prices Take Big Drop

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Wheat prices came down today with a crash, breaking in some cases as much as 9 3/4 cents a bushel. Big sales by some of the leading houses started a general movement to holdings and gave an opening for aggressive selling by bears.

Talk of the likelihood of an armistice in Europe had considerable to do with weakening the market, and so also had warnings of the presence of a fighting submarine in the Atlantic. Continued reference to a possible embargo by the United States was likewise a factor.

July wheat in which the greatest decline took place, fell to \$1.45 as compared with \$1.54 1/8 to \$1.54 3/8 as the finish on Saturday.

In later dealings, the market scored rallies. The greatest recovery was in the last hour and was due to an unexpected falling off, shown in the U. S. visible supply. Prices however, closed weak at net losses of 3 1/4 to 4 1/4 a bushel, with December at \$1.73 1/4 to \$1.73 5/8; May, \$1.80 to \$1.80 1/4; and July \$1.49 7/8 to \$1.50.

PRESIDENT'S COLD IS MUCH IMPROVED

Washington, Nov. 27.—President Wilson's cold was so much better today that he went for an early morning game of golf.

The president had engagements to see Baron Zwiernick, charge of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, who desires to invite the president to attend memorial services here Wednesday for the late emperor; Henderson Martin, a member of the Philippine commission; Hugh Frayne, a member of the American Federation of Labor; and Rosin Orr, of the street car men's union.

G. O. P. FUND SHOWS A SURPLUS

Washington, Nov. 27.—Cornelius N. Bliss, treasurer of the Republican national committee, filed today the final financial statement of contributions and expenses for the Republican campaign. The report shows total contributions of \$2,445,421 from 34,205 contributors and expenditures of \$2,441,565, leaving a surplus of \$3,856.

GERARD TO CONFER WITH PRESIDENT

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Ambassador Gerard, home from Berlin on vacation, paid his first visit to the state department today since his arrival and later with Mrs. Gerard was a guest of the German ambassador and Countess von Bernstorff. Mr. Gerard will see President Wilson before leaving the city.

REFUSE AMBASSADOR SAFE PASSAGE TO U. S.

London, Nov. 27.—The foreign office has sent Ambassador Page a note definitely refusing to grant a safe conduct to Count Adam Tanowsky Von Tarnow, the new Austro-Hungarian ambassador to the United States.

Congressional Committee Resumes Investigation

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—The joint congressional committee investigating transportation problems resumed its sessions today with Alfred P. Thoma, counsel for the railway executives' advisory committee, again as a witness. He had completed his direct testimony and was ready to be cross-examined.

MEMBERS OF DIET SQUAD RECOVER WEIGHT LOST AT DANCE

Chicago, Nov. 27.—The weight which members of Dr. John Dill Robertson's diet squad danced off at the health department ball last Friday, has more than been regained, the scales showed after breakfast today. The 12 persons who are living on approximately 40 cents a day, exclusive of rent, heat and other overhead expenses, have gained an aggregate of 30 pounds and 4 ounces since the experiment made in connection with the high cost of living, began last Wednesday. Each man has gained a pound or more.

NEW YORK HOUSEWIVES ORGANIZE TO COMBAT FOOD SPECULATORS

New York, Nov. 27.—Co-operative action by American housewives to combat food speculators in an effort to reduce the price of the necessities of life was indicated in the household embargo on eggs inaugurated here today. The movement has the endorsement of the National Housewives' League and of John J. Dillon, commissioner of foods and markets, and Joseph Hartigan, commissioner of weights and measures, representing the city. Wholesale and retail dealers, also have given the proposal their approval as the only practical method of defeating the speculators.

This embargo is said to be the first one of its kind which has had the support of dealers. In fact, it is stated that it was suggested by a representative of one of the largest grocery firms in the city. A meeting of presidents of all the retail grocery associations has been called for next Wednesday to work out a plan of co-operation of the public and retail dealers to strike speculators in eggs and later to attack speculation in other foodstuffs.

Reports from other cities indicate that the movement is already widespread. In Boston the Typographical Union has adopted resolutions urging its members to refuse to buy Thanksgiving turkeys at any price and to use as little butter and eggs as possible. Representatives from several socialist organizations and consumers' leagues today announced plans for a "famine" parade according to the announcement, 100,000 men and women have pledged themselves to advance upon city hall on December 9 and demand that the mayor do all in his power to "give them the right to continue in existence."

Willis To Direct Policy Of Ohio G. O. P., Claimed

Columbus, O., Nov. 27.—That Governor Willis will have much to say about the future policy of the Republican organization in Ohio was indicated here today by the conference being held with the governor in advance of the meeting of the Republican state central and executive committees here tomorrow. If it is decided to maintain permanent headquarters in Columbus for the next two years the governor's friends, it was expected, will be placed in charge of these headquarters.

Charles E. Hard, of Portsmouth, may be selected to have charge of the headquarters. Forest Tipton, secretary to the governor, may be placed in charge of the publicity bureau.

Charles S. Hatfield, chairman of the state executive committee, who called the meeting for Tuesday was in conference with Governor Willis for more than one hour today.

Villa Driven Away From Chihuahua

(Bulletin)

Juarez, Mexico, Nov. 27.—Judge Francisco Martinez, of the court of letters here, announced today he had received information from official sources, that Villa had been completely driven away from Chihuahua City and was retreating towards the mountains.

The final result of the fighting between the defunct government forces defending Chihuahua City and Francisco Villa's bandit army was unknown at the American border early today. Wire communication between Chihuahua City and Juarez, broken presumably by bandits Saturday, had not been restored. Carranza officials here express the conviction that Villa's efforts to take the city had been defeated although the last news received directly from the battlefield indicated that the bandits during fighting Saturday carried the conflict into the city proper where they were finally ejected after heavy losses by both sides.

An account of the fighting early Saturday from an Associated Press representative at Chihuahua City was delivered by a courier at Marfa, Texas, last night. This account stated that short range fighting occurred Saturday in Garco avenue and that the bandits were finally driven out on to the plains, where they were raked with machine guns and artillery fire. The account also said that an auto in which Villa was directing the bandit attack was riddled by the fire of the government troops and the bandit leader was forced to flee on horseback.

Later advices, received by Carranza officials here from a station north of Chihuahua City, said that Jose Ynez Salazar, Villa's second in command was seriously wounded Saturday. This report also stated that the fighting continued late Saturday. American army officers at El Paso received a report last night that Villa released the prisoners in Chihuahua City prison before he was driven out of the city. Carranza officials said they had received no such advices.

Place Embargo On Western Live Stock

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Alarm over the possibility of a new outbreak of hoof and mouth disease spread today and was reflected in quarantine and embargo orders. The union stock yards here declared a quarantine against all cattle, horses, sheep and swine originating in Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska. A train load of live stock was held up at Clinton, Iowa, for examination.

Dr. O. E. Dyson, state veterinarian of Illinois, issued orders on the stock yards of Chicago and East St. Louis forbidding the shipment of any live stock except for immediate slaughter. This, it was explained, effects only a small proportion of live stock handlers here.

At Kansas City the embargo established Saturday night probably will remain effective until Wednesday, by which time it will be known whether suspected animals have contracted the malady. Federal inspectors are at work among suspected herds.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 27.—An embargo was declared today against cattle, sheep and hogs from Chicago and East St. Louis yards and points west of the Mississippi river. State veterinarians announced the embargo would not be lifted until definite word had been received relative to reports of foot and mouth disease in Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri.

FALLS EIGHT STORIES

New York, Nov. 27.—Joseph Brooks, theatrical manager, was killed today by a fall from his eighth floor apartment in West Seventy-Ninth street.

CENTRAL POWER FORCES CONTINUE CRUSHING BLOWS IN THE BALKANS

Forces to help out the Rumanians in defending the more immediate menace further south.

Sofia today gives some details of the crossings of the Danube. The crossing at Zimnitsa was advanced by Bulgarian troops who captured a large quantity of grain in the town. The Germans effected their crossing near the mouth of the Alt, occupying Istacez.

In Dobrudja north of the Constantza Tchernovoda line the Russian advance appears to have come to a halt. The Bulgarian war office announces that the hostile forces which had been attacking have now entrenched before the Bulgarian positions.

Fighting on the Macedonian front has been less general on account of bad weather, but continued progress for the Italians, who are driving northward west of Monastir, is reported by Paris. Sofia declares the Italians were repulsed in this region. A Bulgarian counter attack northeast of Monastir was repulsed, according to the French war office.

Seemingly there is no disposition on the part of either the British or the French to attack in force on the Somme region just at present.

Extremely bad weather has been reported as prevailing in this front and such attacks as Berlin has reported apparently have been local in character. London today in its report on operations along the Franco-Belgian front, ignores the Somme, mentioning only artillery activity in the neighborhood of La Bassée to the north of Arras.

Berlin today in its report on the Rumanian campaign announces the capture of Alexandria, 47 miles southwest of Bucharest. It also reports a further advance of the Rumanian forces which crossed the Danube and declares the Rumanian resistance to this advance is breaking.

The Rumanian army from Orsova has not escaped, as had been reported, according to Berlin, which announces its retreat south eastward blocked by Teutonic forces and report of the capture of more than 1,200 men and large quantities of war material. Elsewhere more than 400 prisoners were taken. Important captures of Danube river craft, totalling a half dozen steamers and 80 barges, with valuable cargo.

CEAR ON WAY TO RUMANIAN FRONTIER

Copenhagen, Nov. 27.—(Via London)—A Sofia despatch to the *Vossische Zeitung* says Emperor Nicholas of Nicholas of Russia has arrived at Kiev on his way to the Rumanian frontier, where he will confer with King Ferdinand of Rumania.

SHIP IN DISTRESS

San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 27.—The Norwegian steamer *Nels Nielsen* is in distress 250 miles west of Seattle, according to advices received today by the United States radio station here. Wireless advices were that the vessel had lost her propeller and was attempting to return to an American port.

The U. S. S. South Dakota and other vessels in the Pacific are going to the aid of the *Nielsen*.

The messages received by the naval radio station here indicated that the *Nielsen* was practically helpless. The *Nielsen* sailed from Seattle November 20 for Vladivostok, carrying a cargo of munitions.

FOUR INJURED WHEN HORSE HITS CAR

Cleveland, O., Nov. 27.—Four men were slightly injured when a runaway horse collided with a street car. Three of those hurt were passengers.

Population Estimates Of Various States Of Union

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Population estimates of each of the United States for January 1, 1917, as determined by the Bureau of the Census which based its calculations upon the increase as shown by the federal censuses of 1900 and 1910, have just been announced as follows:	New Hampshire	493,467
Alabama	New Jersey	2,981,105
Arizona	New Mexico	416,966
Arkansas	New York	10,866,778
California	North Carolina	2,418,559
Colorado	North Dakota	752,260
Connecticut	Ohio	5,181,229
Delaware	Oklahoma	2,245,968
District of Columbia	Oregon	848,866
Florida	Pennsylvania	8,591,029
Georgia	Rhode Island	620,090
Idaho	South Carolina	1,634,340
Illinois	South Dakota	707,740
Indiana	Tennessee	2,296,316
Iowa	Texas	4,472,494
Kansas	Utah	438,974
Kentucky	Vermont	304,322
Louisiana	Virginia	2,302,522
Maine	Washington	1,565,810
Maryland	West Virginia	1,399,220
Massachusetts	Wisconsin	2,513,758
Michigan	Wyoming	182,264
Minnesota	Ontlying Possessions	
Mississippi	Alaska	64,873
Missouri	Guam	12,866 (a)
Montana	Hawaii	217,680
Nebraska	Panama Canal Zone	31,043 (b)
Nevada	Philippine Islands	8,879,999
	Porto Rico	1,223,981
	Samoa	7,426
	Total U. S.	413,900,285 (c)
	(a) Enumeration by governor, 1913.	
	(b) Police Census, 1916.	
	(c) Includes 45,123 persons in military and naval service stationed abroad.	

Billy Butt Times Weather Man



Th' big drawback about livin' on forty cents a day is that most folks would have t' hire buyin' and cookin' experts t' manage th' job for 'em and that would pit 'em in th' hole, worse'n ever. Speakin' o' cheap livin' I suppose a feller could live on half of forty cents a day if he just had to, but I don't wanta have to and don't want anybody else to have to. Here's th' weather for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Warmer tonight.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Warmer tonight.

Warmer in east and central portion Tuesday.

West Virginia—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Warmer Tuesday and in east and south portion Tuesday.

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A World Film Feature

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In a beautiful, thrilling play

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THURSDAY

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MAE MURRAY



In a drama of New York life

"THE BIG SISTER"

One of those superior Lasky productions

Wesley Hall To Feed City's Poor Children

Only two more days remain yet before the Thanksgiving dinner at Wesley Hall.

This is to be a free dinner for poor children. Last year we fed 415. This year we plan for as many. We are glad to report at this time that contributions are coming in. The butchers are making us able to give a real roast beef dinner. The bakers are contributing freely. Many families are giving pies, cakes, bread, can fruit, etc.

We still need potatoes, apples, celery, cranberries and

can goods of all kinds. Those desiring to give will please call phone 409-B; our wagon will call at your door.

The children's meeting will begin in the Chapel at 10 a. m. and dinner will be served in the dining rooms at 11 o'clock.

Free dinner tickets are being given out. Children wanting tickets will call at the hall and get them.

We solicit the help of our friends, both in contribution and in helping to get the children in on time for the morning meeting. J. E. DIBERT.

Masonic Choral Will Meet

Members of the Masonic choral will hold a special meeting Tuesday evening at the Masonic club, seven-thirty o'clock, for the purpose of preparing a program for a meeting of Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. & A. M. which will be held Friday evening. A banquet will follow the conferring of the Master Mason degree.

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To Organize Choral

At a meeting of the Second Presbyterian church this week the matter of forming a large choral like was organized last year to visit the county and city institutions on Christmas eve and sing will be taken up. Rev. Geo. P. Horst, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, who inaugurated the choral last year

said Monday that in all probability there would be another choral this year.

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Roy Gordon Makes Good

While Mr. and Mrs. George M. Taylor were in Cleveland last week, where Mr. Taylor attended a meeting of the Ohio Select Dailies, they went with others at the meeting, to attend a performance of "Playthings" at the Opera House, the leading theater at Cleveland. Much to their pleasure they had the privilege of seeing a Portsmouth boy, Roy Gordon, in this splendid attraction. With his customary smoothness and

dignity Mr. Gordon enacts the role of "The Man From Ohio" in "Playthings". Mr. and Mrs. Taylor found Mr. Gordon happily cast in a drama that is being whipped into shape for a Broadway presentation, he having one of the principal roles. They also met Mr. Gordon and enjoyed a chat with him. He is one actor who has gone out from Portsmouth and won his spurs, theatrically speaking.

It Is Time To Make Menthio-Laxene Syrup

Anyone Can Make a Full Pint of Laxative, Curative Cold and Cough Medicine Cheaply at Home.

Everybody is subject to colds and coughs at this season. Be prepared! Have on hand a full pint of Menthio-Laxene syrup that checks and aborts colds, relieves coughing and gradually brings permanent relief. The full and best benefits are derived if you begin taking it at the very outset of a cold or cough—because you can check or abort the cold and save many hours of distress and perhaps ward off pneumonia and other serious results of a neglected cold.

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Hundreds of thousands of bottles of not over 50 people have wanted their Menthio-Laxene have been sold and money back. That tells how good it is.

Local Men On Jury

Two Scioto county residents, Thomas Brushart, of this city, and Ora Foster, of Jordan, have been drawn as jurors for the federal grand jury, which will sit election frauds in the western division of the Southern Ohio Judicial District. The jury is called for December 4, before Judge Hollister, of Cincinnati.

BOX SOCIAL

The Pond Run school will give a box social Wednesday evening, Nov. 29. Everybody is invited to attend. Girls big, little, old and young bring boxes. Candies and nuts will be sold.

Largest stock of Window Glass at the Fisher & Strick Pharmacy, 6th and Chillicothe. Cut to any size and delivered to your home in the city. 17-104

DR. RUSSELL MAKES PLEA FOR A SALOONLESS NATION

Dr. Howard Russell, of Westerville, Ohio, assistant national superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of America, and general secretary of the Lincoln-Lee Temperance Legion, and who is known to local dry workers as "Father of Prohibition Movement in Portsmouth," gave two splendid talks in the Second Presbyterian church Sunday morning and at Manly church in the evening.

He is well remembered by temperance workers here for twenty years ago he was here and inaugurated the dry fight in Scioto county and Portsmouth.

The subject of his talk was "The National Horizon." Dr. Russell was also here when the local option fight was made in Scioto county. "Twenty years ago I was in the fight for prohibition in your city and return today to find that you still have the saloons. Everywhere you go where there are saloons you find filth, immorality and sin in its many forms flowing from the saloon," the speaker declared. He spoke for sometime upon the action taken by great manufacturers who are gradually having total abstinence in their workshops, factories and mills. He told very interestingly of how great scientists are giving up their time to the study of the liquor question and how they are helping in the fight by making known their valuable discoveries of how the alcohol works upon the body as a slow but sure poison. He told of the sorrows that come to the future generations through the immortality of the present generation. "The time is very short when you will be rid of this liquor traffic," said Dr. Russell. He spoke of the saloon as a social, business and commercial menace, and of the great things accomplished and changes noticed in closing the saloons in Chicago on Sunday.

"We are hoping to see this congress pass on the Sheppard-Hobson amendment," said Dr. Russell. "The fights that are on are national fights. It is a religious fight and it is put up to you to see it through," said the speaker. "Let's hurry up the day to crash this awful curse," girdle on the harness for this moral fight, and we will see the result in a saloonless nation," said Dr. Russell in conclusion.

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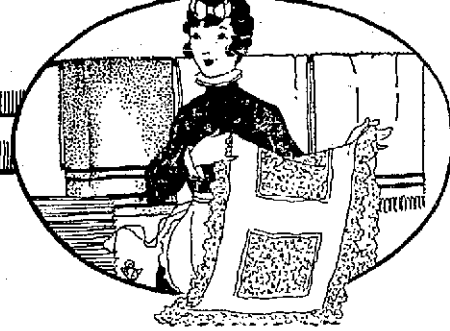
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The only way a young man can get up is to wake up and then work up. So long as he lets today take care of today and gives no heed to tomorrow, so long will he fail to rise. He must

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Now For The Thousand Dollar Sale of Finished Art Work

Tomorrow (Tuesday) morning the big sale begins. Many of the pieces have been on display in the windows for several days and thousands of people have seen and admired them. There is sure to be a big demand for these pieces, all guaranteed hand work, when the big sale starts tomorrow morning.

As has been advertised before, this great assortment of more than a thousand dollars worth of finished art work represents a sample line from a large manufacturer. By taking the entire lot we secured a price so low that we can in turn offer these handsome pieces to you at exactly the wholesale prices or what we and other stores would ordinarily have to pay for them. Then to make a big event still bigger we have taken what similar items we have in our own stock and added them to this great lot of samples thus making a still greater assortment to choose from with the prices always just the regular wholesale values.

A Great Opportunity For Christmas Shoppers

With this event coming as it does, just prior to Christmas, folks are naturally recognizing this great sale to be a time of opportunity for securing exceedingly handsome articles for Christmas giving and you may be sure that thrifty Christmas shoppers will be at this sale tomorrow.

What This Sale Offers

In this sale are more than three hundred finished pieces in art embroidery work and no two alike. In the lot you will find finished pillows, scarfs, table covers, embroidered lingerie, pillow cases, towels and numerous fancy articles so attractive to the feminine eye and so useful and ornamental in the home.

Remember, this sale begins Tuesday morning.

Remember, every piece will be sold at the regular wholesale price.

Remember, there will be no more, there can be no more, when these are sold.

Remember, this opportunity will diminish in value as the sale goes on for many persons are just waiting for the sale to begin, to get choice articles.

The sale will be held in the art section, second floor, annex.

The Anderson Bros. Co.

DEATH IN TRAGIC FORM COMES TO OWEN CROSS

Dr. A. S. Brady, Greenup, Ky., who is well known in this city, received a message Monday telling of the tragic death of his brother-in-law, Owen Cross, Denver, Colo. Mr. Cross, who was an electrician, in some unaccountable manner, was caught in a heavy piece of machinery, while at work, and was badly crushed. He was taken to a hospital at Denver and shortly after arriving there, died. Mr. Cross was formerly a resident of this city.

Back From Meeting

Harvey M. Allen, manager of the Portsmouth Telephone Company, returned Monday from Columbus where he attended the annual meeting of the Ohio Independent Telephone Association, which was held at the Hayman hotel. "It was one of the largest meetings the association has ever held," Mr. Allen stated today. "There were about 400 there." The possibility of government ownership was discussed and a detailed report on the operation of telephone systems owned by European countries was given. The service of a government owned system is not efficient, it was claimed. Next week, H. M. Allen and Charles Kugelman, Portsmouth Telephone Company, will go to Chicago where they will attend the annual convention of the United States Independent Telephone Association which will be held at the La Salle Hotel.

LANDMARK IS BEING RAZED

Greenup, Ky., Nov. 27.—The old dwelling of Dave Patton's, located between his residence and the Mytinger residence, is being torn down by Brady Callahan and removed to his farm which is located up the hollow in Riverton, known as the Col. Worthington hollow. According to our older citizens this house is about 82 years old. It was built by Judge John Winn, deceased for many years. Originally, the structure was of hewn logs but in a later day was weather-boarded. The old hewn logs are yet in a well state of preservation, and have been hewn from large timber.

Man Held Up?
It is reported that a man was held up and robbed of 85 cents by two men at the mouth of the alley back of the Damarin building, corner Second and Court streets Saturday evening at 8:30. The police say that they received no word of the supposed hold-up.

Local Firm to Bid
The A. E. Miller Construction company of this city will put in a bid for the job of installing a sanitary sewer system in Greenville, Ohio.

In Waverly
Attorney B. F. Kinable was in Waverly Monday on legal business.

Hunted On West Side
R. S. Prichard and Al H. Bridwell put in Monday hunting on the West Side.

Will Quit Business

McCarthy & Nichols, grocers, of Ninth and Chillicothe, are selling out their stock, they being unable to find a suitable room. The business room and buildings occupied by McCarthy & Nichols will be renovated by the Lion Brewing Company, of Cincinnati.

HUGHES CARRIED COUNTY BY ONE

It was almost a case of fifty-fifty with Hughes and Wilson when it came to receiving votes in Greenup county, Kentucky, in which South Portsmouth and Greenup are located. Hughes carried the county over Wilson by one vote.

Did Not Take Out Claim

Clifford Saunders, a C. & O. clerk of South Portsmouth, has returned from a prospecting trip to Colorado, where he had expected to take out a claim. Cliff thought the fact that he served seven months in the army during the Spanish-American war entitled him to special privileges but he found that he would have had to spend seven months annually for three years on the tract so he gave up the idea of trying to acquire the ground.

Selling Autos

J. E. Nutt, who was formerly a member of the grocery firm of Leist and Nutt, has entered the employ of Stanley Prichard as city salesman.

Has Bad Luck

Charles Fligor of 317 Ninth street is suffering with an injured left hand. One week ago he cut the member but Saturday he had his left thumb mashed and sprained. He was holding a punch while a fellow employee hit the punch with a hammer when the hammer glanced off it and hit his hand.

Going To Meeting

Blaine Nesbia, clerk of courts, Adams county, was here Monday afternoon calling on local friends. Mr. Nesbia was enroute to Hamilton, where he will attend a Masonic meeting, which is to be held this evening.

Home Wednesday

Samuel Horehow will return home Wednesday from Mt. Clemens, Mich., where he has been spending the past two weeks.

SPRUCE

Those spending Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O'Hara were: Mrs. Maggie Wallace and two sons, Homer and Ray, New Boston, Miss Annie Brooks and little brother, Estel, Miss Pearl Kidder and Lew Smith.

Harry Speck spent Saturday at the home of H. Noxle, Bracken Ridge.

Chas. Irwin bought a fine hog from Elza O'Hara recently.

Rev. A. Oppy passed through our vicinity Monday.

Noah Stump, Dennison, is spending a few days with his father, Wm. Stump, Mt. Breazy.

Estel Thompson was a business visitor at Oppy's Corner last week. Mrs. Ida Cupps was calling on her mother-in-law, Monday.

Those who were present at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O'Hara, Sunday, were C. Henry, Pennsylvania Miss Ethel Parker, New Boston, and Mrs. Sarah Moon, Oswego.

ROME

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gifford and children, Dayton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gifford.

Ernest Littleton, who is attending High school in Manchester, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Ligo Montgomery, Greenfield, is the guest of relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stricklett, Elm-tree, spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy.

Mrs. Alice Cattell has returned to Portsmouth.

J. O. Wamaley was a business visitor at Manchester, Monday.

Mrs. A. Z. Blair and children, Portsmouth, spent the week-end with Mrs. L. B. Gifford.

Stanley Gifford and Albert Lockhart were at Portsmouth Sunday.

Frank Runyan, Portsmouth, was here over Sunday.

Mrs. N. L. Mahaffey was shopping at Manchester Saturday.

Mattie Miller was at Vanceburg, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Fite were business visitors to Manchester Saturday.

\$500,000 RAISED IN SINGLE WEEK

Within a week the handsome sum of \$500,000 was raised for a magnificent new Y. M. C. A. building in Columbus. Charles O. Tracy, a former Portsmouth citizen, was chairman of the general committee that raised the money. Mr. Tracy also contributed \$10,000 to the fund.

Health Notes

Issued by the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Scioto County:
League of Scioto County:
Buy a supply of Red Cross Christmas Seals.
Always wash your hands before eating.

The external use of cold water is a stimulant to the skin and nerves. Knock the dirty store and the unclean store-keeper and do not patronize him.

One in every three deaths between the ages of 18 and 45, the productive years of life, is a death from tuberculosis.

The Portsmouth Times "leads 'em all" again, this time being the first business firm in the city to use Red Cross Seals.

Public health is purchasable. Within natural limitations, it is within the power of any community to control its own death rate. If you must chew, don't bite a

chew from another man's plug, and do not permit others to bite yours. Stuffy air stifles study and stunts stature; pure air promotes physical and mental perfection.

Many large manufacturing plants are now employing physicians to make periodic examinations of all employees.

"I consider that prevention of tuberculosis remains the most important health problem in this country, in spite of all the work that has been done along that line."—Major General Gorgas, U. S. A.

If you have tuberculosis, seek advice of a competent physician, go to a sanatorium—it will teach you how to take care of yourself and will spare your family from infection. Avoid patent medicines. Get into the fresh air, rest—don't exercise except on your physician's advice, eat good nourishing food, and never give up hope.

Plan Is Dropped

The plan to have a Moody Bible Institute worker here once each week to teach bible study has been dropped as all churches except the Presbyterian decided not to support the plan. Money pledged for the work will not be called for.

Protecting Tracks

The N. & W. railway is still dumping thousands of tons of rock along the Scioto river bank back of the Stockham ice plant to protect its tracks in that vicinity against floods.

Add New Operator

On account of increasing business the B. & O. railroad has found it necessary to add a third telegraph operator to its local office. Frank Berthold, of Chillicothe, a nephew of the late George Berthold, who was the company's agent here some years ago, is the new operator. He is expected to assume his new duties tonight.

Mr. Levi In City

Mr. Levi, of Cincinnati, was in Portsmouth on Business Monday.

In Cincinnati

Humane Officer Judge Ball was in Cincinnati on business Monday.

SOCIETY

Capt. and Mrs. R. P. Reifenberck, of Cincinnati, on last Friday celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. They are former well known residents of the River City.

Ghost Walks

The semi-monthly pay checks of local B. & O. railroad employees arrived here from Baltimore, Monday.

No Trace Of Car

John W. Bahner, an East End real estate dealer, has not as yet secured the slightest trace of his Ford touring car which was stolen from the corner of Gallia and Eleventh streets, three weeks ago.

Was Here Saturday

W. J. Stoop, former general superintendent of the Whitaker-Glossner plant, now connected with the Treadwell Engine Co., of Boston, Pa., visited friends in this city, Saturday.

Canter's Tuesday Bargains

1 peck large Irish Potatoes 45c; per bushel . . .	\$1.78
1 peck Fancy Turnips . . .	24c
2 dozen sweet Oranges . . .	28c
Fancy Cabbage, per pound . . .	4c
1 pound Breakfast Bacon . . .	23c
1 pound Pickled Pork . . .	14c
1 pound Pig Liver . . .	10c
5 pound pail Pure Hog Lard . . .	93c
4 pounds Canter's Millbrook Coffee . . .	\$1.10
1 dozen loaves C. Cream Bread . . .	40c
Pork Loins, by the piece, . . .	19c
1 pound Pork Chops . . .	20c
Bologna by the piece, per pound . . .	13 1-2c
3 pounds fresh Oyster Crackers . . .	28c
30 pound pail Pure Jelly . . .	\$1.50
Fancy Breakfast Bacon by the side, per pound . . .	22c
1 pound Fancy Cream Cheese . . .	35c
2 pounds Oleomargarine . . .	35c
1 pound pure Peanut Butter . . .	10c
4 10c packages Mince Meat . . .	28c
4 large cans Hominy . . .	28c
1 dozen cans Canter's Corn . . .	\$1.19
1 dozen cans Canter's Peas . . .	\$1.19
Layer Cake, iced all over . . .	23c
Pork Cake, per pound . . .	25c
1 dozen Doughnuts . . .	10c

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'MANHATTAN MADNESS'

People who think they don't like motion pictures should see Douglas Fairbanks in "Manhattan Madness." If they can't derive real amusement from this merry picture, they are correct in supposing they are film blind.

Tonight's Good Keystone Comedy

"Dollars and Sense"

A Regular Riot of Fun and Laughter from Beginning to End of the Two Reels

Columbia TONIGHT

10 CENTS

Was 67 Today

What is so rare as a May day in November? Monday was an ideal fall day, the mercury touching the 67 mark, according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirman, it being an unusually warm day for so late in November.

To Attend Exposition

County Treasurer M. J. Caldwell, Dr. Howard Williamson, Dr. F. P. Pieper and Arthur S. Moulton, Lucasville, expect to leave next week for Chicago where they will attend the International Stock Exposition.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Lawrence W. Yuenger, 25, steel worker, Berlin, to Mary E. Smith, 21, Berlin, Rev. Davidson.

Lawrence Plummer, 23, N. & W. Wheelersburg, to Lucy Adams, 20, Franklin Furnace, Squire A. J. Finney.

William Mathies, colored, 30, laborer, to Priscilla Hall, colored, 30, Squire J. W. Byron.

BUILDING PERMITS

Lena Lang, \$400 repairs at 833 Fourth street, Contractor Garrett.

WITH THE SICK

Health Officer Dr. W. W. Smith said Monday that health conditions in Portsmouth were unusually good at the present time. After Tuesday he said unless some new cases develop in the meantime there would be but one case of contagion, namely scarlet fever, under quarantine.

Michael Reissinger, of John street, and one of the pioneer residents of the city, is reported critically ill.

Mrs. Thomas Warden, who has been seriously ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Harper, of 1013 Nineteenth street, is getting along nicely. Mrs. Warden recently underwent an operation at the Hempstead hospital.

Mrs. Lewis Herder, wife of a well-known bartender and local labor leader, is reported critically ill with lung trouble at their home, No. 522 1-2 Fifth street.

Patrolman Frank Schwoebel is able to be outdoors again after having been ill at his home on Jefferson street for a week.

Andrew and Mary Margaret, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fligor, of 317 Ninth street, are ill with whooping-cough.

Vincent Brodbeck of Ninth street is reported dangerously ill.

Victim In Better.

"Bud" Griffith, aged 17 of Greenup, who was accidentally shot while hunting near that village several days ago, was reported much better Monday.

Rebekahs Bake Sale

Members of the Daughters of Rebekahs will hold a bake sale Wednesday all day at the Distel Furniture Store, Seventh and Chillicothe streets.

Howard Argo Has Resigned

Howard Argo, who for two years had been manager of the Pure Drug Store, Turley building, has resigned, his resignation having already taken effect. J. W. Snoddy is the new manager of the store.

Will Give Pie Social

Friday, December 8th will be red letter day with the members of the Men's Friendly Bible Class of the Second Presbyterian Sunday School. On that evening the members will give a pumpkin pie social to all male members of the church who are not members of the class.

Dangerously Ill

Dan Fawcett, a well known colored barber, was reported dangerously ill with pneumonia Monday. He was unconscious most of Sunday and no one is permitted to see him at his home on Eleventh street. Fawcett is employed by Haley and Gooden, Chillicothe street barbers.

OURTAGE treatment.

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New Boston, 222 Rhodes Ave.
Branch Office

The funeral of Daniel Monk, the Union Mills steelworker, who died suddenly at Hempstead hospital Saturday afternoon, took place Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the Baptist church on the West Side. Rev. B. F. Candill conducted the services. Burial took place in the Larkins cemetery.

A post-mortem examination showed that the young man had been suffering with peritonitis previous to developing appendicitis.

with for which he was operated upon.

Infant Dies

A one day old child of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Hammond, of the Scioto Trail, died Sunday of infantile Monday.

Mrs. Louisa Euth

Frank Euth of Third street received word Monday that his mother Mrs. Louisa Euth had died at her home in Madison, Ala., Sunday. Will Euth of Fourth street who went to Madison over a week ago was at his mother's bedside when the final summons came. Pneumonia was the cause of death.

News of the death will be received with sorrow by the many Portsmouth people who knew Mrs. Euth, who was born and raised in this city. Her husband, Martin Euth, died here. Mrs. Euth had been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Emma Cross in Madison.

Charles Euth, another son, is living in Detroit, Mich. No arrangements have been made for the funeral but the body will be brought here for burial.

Miss Letitia Snyder

Death at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening claimed Miss Letitia Snyder, 47, daughter of Ezra Snyder, of Candy Run, back of Lucasville. Miss Snyder had suffered for sometime with a goitre, which finally caused death.

Miss Snyder was born and reared in Scioto county. Her mother died a number of years ago.

Besides her father, Miss Snyder is survived by two brothers, Elmer Snyder, of near Mechanicsburg, Ohio, and Will at home, and one sister, Mrs. Abigail Brooks, of Portsmouth.

Miss Snyder was a member of the Glendale M. E. church back of Lucasville for a number of years and had always led a Christian life, being faithful to her Master. The funeral was held from the Glendale church Monday afternoon at two o'clock, interment being in Greendale cemetery.

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Note: Not a religious play but an intensely interesting love story

Featuring Edith Storey and Earl Williams and 20 other stars in Hall Cain's superb love story

8 parts 500 scenes 3000 people

Matinee 5c and 10c Night 10c and 15c

Ohio Third In List Of Democratic Contributors

New York, Nov. 27.—Wilbur W. Marsh, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, made public here today the official statement of campaign contributions and disbursements which will be filed in Albany tomorrow in compliance with the law of New York state. Mr. Marsh announced there still is a deficit of more than \$100,000.

The statement, largely a duplicate of the one filed in Washington, gives the total amount contributed to the Democratic fund as \$1,584,545, of which \$466,658 was received in amounts of less than \$100. It contains, however, an additional list of contributors of \$100 or more up to November 24, and also an itemized statement of disbursements made through the New York headquarters.

In the number of contributors, Texas led with 14,822, with an average of \$4 per person. Every town in Vermont with over 500 population sent a contribution, the total from that state being approximately \$14,000.

New York state was the heaviest contributor, with Illinois, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Texas following in the order named.

Wilson's Plurality 3,773 In California

Sacramento, Cal., Nov. 27.—President Wilson's plurality in California is 3,773, according to semi-official figures announced today by Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan.

The figures include the vote of a hitherto questioned precinct in Orange county. The President's plurality represents the difference between the vote of 466,289 for Francis J. Honey, highest Democratic elector, and that of 469,516 for J. F. Carlstrom, highest Republican.

To be made finally official, the figures must be certified to by the Secretary of State. This will be done, it was said, tomorrow.

Returns announced today also show that the amendment providing for total prohibition was defeated by 106,987 votes, while a second amendment for part prohibition lost by 30,920 votes.

TRINITY BIBLE CLASS

The big men's class is getting things warmed up now and things have begun to hum.

One hundred and fifty-five men were present Sunday morning and things are beginning to look like old times around there.

The plan of working in squads of five is showing results and Prof. Finney says he must have 175 next Sunday or there will be trouble. The new blackboard will be in place next Sunday morning and it will show "Who is Who".

The teacher's hoodoo squad No. 13 has backed up against John McMillan's skidoo No. 23 and there is going to be some fur fly in the next few weeks. Jim Pfeiffer is organizing a "Rough Neck" bunch up around Campbell avenue and says he is going to lay these "high brows" out cold.

John Byron is working skillfully under cover up on the hill top and may catch them all on the flank.

Prof. Appel, Jack Hood and Harry Cranston are making some awful claims but will probably land in the also ran column with "Doc" Donaldson and his crowd. At any rate there is not going to be any four-flushing around there as the board is going to show who the real live wires are in the class.

Prof. Finney had gotten just fairly launched on his subject when noticing Dr. Howard Russell, "the father of the anti-saloon league" in the class, invited him to address the class.

Dr. Russell paid a glowing tribute to the able leadership that has characterized the fight in Scioto county in the past and felt more confident of its power for the coming battles. He gave an interesting talk on the workings of the Anti-Saloon League of the past, present and its aims for the future. To sum it all up according to the plans it will all be over in five years or sooner. A request was announced to the class for a donation for a Thanksgiving dinner for the poor children of the city to be furnished at the Wesley Hall mission on Second street. A hat collection at the door brought the sum of \$16.05.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Sunday was an ideal day and caused the Bible school attendance to increase 292 over last Sunday, when the total was 5,332. The attendance is steadily increasing. Manly came back into the 500 fold Sunday. Trinity went over the 800 mark, being in the lead, with Christian second, with 770 present. The record for Sunday:

Trinity	857
Christian	770
Second Presbyterian	581
Manly	515
Bigelow	456
First Presbyterian	410
German Evangelical	363
United Brethren	326
First Baptist	317
Grandview Ave. Christian	232
New Boston Baptist	181

DIGESTION WORTH HAVING

Good digestion is not appreciated until you lose it. Then you cannot afford to experiment on remedies. Strong medicines are hard on weak stomachs. To be able to eat what you want and to digest it is a priceless blessing. If you have lost it do not be deceived by the claims of predigested foods and stomach tonics, so-called.

There is no tonic for the stomach that is not a tonic for every other part of the body. As the blood goes everywhere, an improvement in its condition quickly results in strengthening weak organs. Rich, red blood is absolutely necessary to digestion. If your stomach is weak and you are troubled with gas, sour risings in the throat, a feeling of pressure about the heart and palpitations, try the tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

So many dyspepsias have been helped by this simple treatment that every sufferer from stomach trouble should try it. The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., has issued a booklet "What to Eat and How to Eat" that should be in every home. It gives just the information that you want regarding your diet. The company will mail Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, postpaid, at fifty cents per box or your own drug store can supply you.

Final Account Filed

Henry T. Bannon, Arthur H. Bannon and James W. Bannon, Jr., executors of the estate of the late Judge J. W. Bannon, filed their final and final account in probate court Monday and asked that they be discharged.

The account shows receipts of \$40,151 from March to November, this year.

It is further stated that all claims have been collected, all the indebtedness and legacies paid and the personal property distributed, as requested in the will.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES

The Kensington of the church will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bliss Cartwright, 715 Fourth street. All the ladies are cordially invited to come to the Thanksgiving Kensington.

Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:15. As it will be Thanksgiving eve, let us be thankful and watch in the same with thanksgiving. In everything give thanks, for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.

The trustees will hold an important business meeting Friday evening from 7 to 7:30 o'clock at the church.

Mizpah Class will hold an all-day art and bake sale Wednesday at the Levi Furniture store, on Gallia street. Some fine specimens of needlework will be exhibited, also good things to eat.

Union Thanksgiving services of the First, Second and Central Presbyterian churches will be held in the Central Presbyterian church, corner of Chillicothe and Seventh streets.

MANLY CHURCH NOTES

The men of Manly church are called to meet Monday evening in the men's bible class rooms at 7:30 to consider matters of vital importance to the church and the cause of Christ.

The Epworth League will meet in social session Thursday evening at 7:30 at the home of the pastor. Plan to be present. The young ladies are requested to bring needles and thimbles as the Christmas dolls are to be dressed at this meeting.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will meet Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. F. H. Blazer, 1602 High street. The assistant hostesses are Mesdames Monroe, Martin, Clark and Swabby. A most cordial invitation is extended to all the ladies of the church to attend this meeting.

The Home Guards will meet next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at the Riedout home, 1925 Tiomonds avenue.

A Thanksgiving service will be held in Manly church Thursday morning at 5:30 o'clock. If at all possible, be present at this service. Dr. Grimes will also address the members of the United Methodist church at Bigelow church at 10 o'clock Thanksgiving morning.

GRANDVIEW AVENUE CHURCH NOTES

Monday, evening at 7 o'clock church officials meet in business session.

Wednesday, Nov. 29 the classes of Loyal Girls and Sunbeams will hold a bake sale at Stewart's grocery on Vinton avenue. Please patronize and help these hustling classes.

Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock prayer meeting, after which choir will meet in rehearsal.

Friday evening at 7 o'clock the Loyal Reapers will meet at the home of Mrs. E. G. Hamilton on Summit street. Business of importance.

Specials at all services December 3rd.

Bible School we will take one wage day offering. All come prepared.

10 o'clock election of church officials.

1 to 3 p. m. every member canvass.

Rev. E. G. Hamilton will speak at the morning service from the topic, "The Contents of an Empty Box." All members are expected and friends invited.

DEATH BED REPENTANCE

Next Sunday morning Rev. George P. Horst, of the Second Presbyterian church, will take for his subject "Death Bed Repentance," one of his sermons of the series on "Death."

PURE RICH BLOOD PREVENTS DISEASE

Bad blood is responsible for more ailments than anything else. It causes catarrh, dyspepsia, rheumatism, weak, tired, languid feelings and worse troubles.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has been wonderfully successful in purifying and enriching the blood, removing scrofula and other humors, and building up the whole system. Take it—give it to all the family so as to avoid illness. Get it today.

REALTY DEALS

H. A. Bierley to Ethel C. Blum, part lot P, Bell addition, \$1.

Charles O. Mussen, et al., to Charles W. Wertz, part lot 17, Green addition, \$1.

Calvin and Emma Harris to the H. Leet Lumber company, part lot 37, New Boston, \$1.

Harry C. and Anna B. Stanley to Seva E. Brunsart, lot 123, Highland addition, \$1.

Mrs. John Wales of Fifth street is ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

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COATS SUITS STREET DRESSES PARTY DRESSES HOUSE DRESSES SKIRTS SILK WAISTS FERN WAISTS in seal packages. FURS SHAWLS KIMONAS BATH ROBES DRESSING SACQUES WOOL SWEATERS SILK SWEATERS RAIN COATS WHITE APRONS BUNGALOW APRONS MUSLIN UNDERWEAR SILK UNDERWEAR KNIT UNDERWEAR OUTING GARMENTS SILK AND SATINE PETTICOATS MIDDY BLOUSES	UMBRELLAS GLOVES HANDKERCHIEFS HOSIERY BOUDOIR CAPS AUTO CAPS VEILS NECKWEAR RIBBONS SILK AND WOOL SCARFS SCARF AND CAP SETS SILK DRESS AND WAIST PATTERNS WOOL DRESS AND WAIST PATTERNS WHITE WAISTINGS SLIPPERS PURSES HAIR ORNAMENTS BOOKS TOILET SETS MANICURE SETS ICY HOT BOTTLES WARDROBE TRUNKS SUIT CASES AND BAGS	UMBRELLAS HANDKERCHIEFS NECK TIES SHIRTS UNDERWEAR SOCKS SHAVING SETS TRAVELING SETS SMOKER SETS BRUSH SETS MILITARY SETS NIGHT SHIRTS PAJAMAS SUSPENDERS Little Tots FURS COATS SWEATERS SWEATER SETS SCARFS AND CAPS HANDKERCHIEFS HOSIERY GLOVES ROMPERS DOLLS	UMBRELLAS SWEATERS FUR SETS WOOL TOQUES HOCKEY CAPS SCARF AND CAP SETS COATS DRESSES MIDDY BLOUSES UNDERWEAR SLEEPING GARMENTS MUSLIN GARMENTS HOSIERY RAIN COATS SLIPPERS BATH ROBES TOILET SETS RIBBONS PURSES HANDKERCHIEFS BOOKS GLOVES DOLLS	TABLE LINENS TABLE CLOTHS NAPKINS FANCY SQUARES FANCY SCARFS TURKISH TOWELS HUCK TOWELS BED SPREADS SHIRTS PILLOW CASES BLANKETS COMFORTS VASES SILVERWARE PHONOGRAPHS RUGS LINOLEUMS CURTAINS VASES ALARM CLOCKS CUT GLASS SILVERWARE

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Bible class and prayer service. Mrs. L. Brown, of Beech street, who is suffering with pneumonia, is improving slowly.

Carl Welch, N. & W. yard brakeman who lives at Ironton, accidentally stepped on a piece of coke at Ironton and fell, spraining his left wrist, Friday evening. He was getting along nicely Monday.

Mrs. C. Wootthorpe, of Beech street, who is seriously ill, remains about the same.

Mrs. Ollie Salesberry and daughter, Margaret, of Gallia street, returned home Sunday after a several days' visit with relatives at Wamsley.

Arthur Puckar, N. & W. yard clerk resumed his duties Monday after a several days' hunting trip to West Virginia.

Harry LeMasters, N. & W. yard clerk, is off duty for a few days.

Mrs. Gilbert Dodds, wife of the county treasurer-elect, who was operated upon at Hempstead hospital last Wednesday is doing nicely.

Could Hardly Walk

From Berger, Missouri word comes from Mrs. Lizzie Groeber. She says: "I had always been very healthy until my seventh child was born. When my baby was six weeks old... I could hardly walk... I suffered... dizziness in my head when I could stand on my feet just as if I would faint away... I used CARDUI, CARDUI and BLACK-DRAGON and... have never had any symptoms of it again. I certainly will praise CARDUI... for I surely think it saved my life... There are thousands of weak, worn-out women in this country who could be helped like Mrs. Groeber, with CARDUI. Why don't you try it for your case?"

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"THE CAVE MAN"
5 part Blue Ribbon Vitaphone drama
"THE CHRISTIAN," 8 reels Tuesday

TEMPLE THEATRE Tonight 5 Reels 5 Cents

"WOMAN WHO DID NOT CARE," 3 reel drama
"NERVE AND GASOLINE," 1 reel comic
"THE REPENTANT," 1 reel drama

10c Strand Tonight SEVEN REELS

"Two Men of Sandy Bar" 5 part Red Feather drama featuring Hobart Bosworth. A thrilling Western. "A Hero by Proxy," 2 reel comedy featuring Carter De Haven

ARCANA THEATRE Tonight 5 Reels 5 Cents

"Somewhere on the Battlefield," 2 part Special drama
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Regular meeting Calvary Community No. 13 Monday evening, November 27, at 7 o'clock.

The Masonic Choir meets Tuesday evening for practice at 7:30. All who will assist in singing are requested to be present.

WANTED

WANTED:—Position by man whose entire life has been devoted to clerical work. Fire insurance office work preferred. Best of references given. Address W. 1210 Third St., city. Phone 373-Y.

WANTED:—To buy 50 lb. weight for platform scales. Werner's Grocery, Gallia St.

WANTED:—First class well, turn and second hand. Plenty of work. Prices best. The Pledge company, 102 Jefferson Ave., Detroit, Mich.

WANTED:—Cook at the Y. W. C. A. Good references required. Call Miss Farmer, 142.

WANTED:—Public to know we pay cash for second hand clothing and shoes at 513 Third St. Will George.

WANTED:—Girl to answer telephone in doctor's office. Dr. H. M. Keil, 622 Offener St.

WANTED:—Timemakers, good timber, houses ready. Call tonight, 42-R Sciotoville. J. L. Prairier.

WANTED:—Washing to do at home. 703 Broadway. 24-5t

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WANTED:—Two good boys over 16 years of age. Call at once, 1022 Gay.

WANTED:—Carpenters and pipe fitters. Apply Dravo Contracting Co. Whitaker-Glessner mill. 7-1f

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For jitney service phone 717.

WANTED:—To Men—Our system of teaching barbering enables you to learn a profitable profession quickly. Write Moier College, 324 W. 4th, Cincinnati. 2-25t

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Large 6 room house, Robinson avenue near Lincoln, bath, reception hall, hardwood floors and finish, large lot, vacant, easy terms. \$4000

Six room house with bath, pantry, reception hall, sliding doors, center street, near Grant, vacant, easy terms. \$3500

Nice 5 room cottage, Seventh street near Boundary, bath, pantry, cistern, front and rear porch, a bargain, easy terms. \$2200

Large 6 room house, Grant street near Mound, bath, pantry, front and rear porch. \$2800

Pine 6 room house, Mound street near Grant, bath, reception hall, gas and electricity, street assessments all paid, a bargain. \$3100

Good 6 room house, Eighth street, near Murray, bath, sliding doors, front and rear porch. \$3000

Six room house, Murray street, near Gallia, bath, pantry, front and rear porch, a bargain. \$2800

Large 5 room two story house, Eighth street, near Campbell Ave., 2 cabinet maids, water, gas, a nice home. \$2250

Nice 5 room cottage, Robinson avenue, near Offener, reception hall, bath, attic, hardwood floors, front and rear porch, a nice home, above high water. \$3500

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TO LET:—Modern bungalow, all conveniences. Possession Dec. 15, call after 5 p. m. 1215 17th St. 1843-X. 27-5t

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room, 816 7th, suitable for two gentlemen, with or without board. 27-3t

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished rooms, 941 Second St., Phone 578-Y. 27-2t

FOR RENT:—2 furnished house-keeping rooms. 1417 3rd. 27-3t

FOR RENT:—House, five rooms, reception hall, bath and furnace. Good location. Phone 582. 27-1f

FOR RENT:—5 room two story house with bath. 813 Prospect St., Phone 1533-L. 27-3t

FOR RENT:—Rooms furnished for light housekeeping, front room upstairs, one down stairs. 1313 Sixth St. 27-2t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, 816 Sixth. Apply Findels Cafe. 27-3t

FOR RENT:—Fine store room, 515 Second, after December 1. Call Findels' cafe. 27-3t

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished large front room with bath and phone. 718 7th, half square below Chillicothe. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, 721 4th. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping, bath complete. 1117 Gallia. 25-1f

FOR RENT:—Third floor of building on Gallia, known as Security bank bldg, suitable for lodge purposes. Harry W. Miller, Masonic Temple. 25-4t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, bath and phone. 1142 Fourth St. 25-3t

FOR RENT:—Garage at 1142 Fourth St. Phone 912-Y. 25-1f

FOR RENT:—6 room bungalow, modern. Call at 2112 Ninth. 24-1f

FOR RENT:—Front room for two gentlemen, modern conveniences and first class board. 530 4th. 24-3t

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room, 725 6th St. 25-1f

FOR RENT:—3 room cottage furnished for light housekeeping with water and gas. 1523 10th. 25-1f

FOR RENT:—Furnished bedroom at 822 Chillicothe St. 20-1f

FOR RENT:—Large 8 room house on hilltop, gas, electricity, furnace, sleeping porch, basement and attic, large lawn, fine location. Phone 1518-L. 10-1f

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NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Nov. 27.—Lack of public interest, vague rumors of an adverse character and another advance in money rates were the chief restraining influences of today's market. Total sales were estimated at 1,250 shares.

Recessions of 1 to 3 points before the end of the first hour left nothing of the initial advance. Selling was of a mixed character, caused in part by fears of a recurrence of submarine activities in nearby waters, but profit taking also was a potent factor. Steel made an extreme loss of almost 2 points and Central Leather was three, and shipping shares, as well as coppers, were subjected to obvious pressure with Mexican. Ohio Gas was the noteworthy feature among the utilities, rising 7 points to the new record of 105. Rails moved contrary, leading, showing marked strength with heaviness in Canadian Pacific. Dealings diminished before midday when prices made partial recovery.

Activity in Cuts T's and Rock Island debentures featured the irregular bond market.

Trading on a broad and liberal scale was resumed at today's opening. U. S. Steel being again the central feature on a sale of 35,000 shares at 129 1/2 to 129 3/4, a new maximum. Equipments also were in favor. Alabamas, American and Baldwin Locomotives and Railway Steel Springs gaining from 1 to 2 1/2 points.

On the demand at more moderate advances. Harvester issues, Ohio Gas, Industrial Alcohol and Texas Company, were included among the other strong specialties with firmness in rails.

The market became increasingly sensitive to pressure in the latter trading session prices then being made. The trading was heavy.

LOSING PRICES

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allis-Chalmers 45 1/2

American Steel and Foundry 104

American Car and Foundry 73 1/2

American Locomotive 50 1/2

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LIVE STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Hogs—Receipts 34,000; floor, 40 to 45 above Saturday's average; bulk \$9.10@10.15; light \$8.80@9.35; mixed \$9.40@10.25; heavy \$9.70@10.25; rough \$9.70@10.25; pigs \$6.50@8.50.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000; strong; native beef steers \$8.00@12.00; western steers \$8.00@10.00; stockers and feeders \$8.00@10.00; cows and heifers \$3.00@5.00; calves \$9.00@12.75.

Sheep—Receipts 26,000; firm; wethers \$8.00@8.50; lambs \$9.25@12.00.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 27.—Cattle—Receipts 5,000; active.

Hogs—Receipts 10,000; active; prime heavies \$10.25 to 10.35; heavy mixed \$10.10 to 10.20; mediums \$9.90 to 10.05



BULLET SENT THROUGH TEMPLE BY LOCAL MAN

Bucharest from the west. Rochi De Vede is about 45 miles southwest of the Romanian capital and Valeni is 35 miles west. The advance brings up the front of the invaders in this sector approximately on a line with the forces further south which were reported yesterday by Berlin to have arrived before Alexandria, 47 miles southwest of Bucharest.

COUNTER ATTACK FAILS
Paris, Nov. 27.—Bulgarian forces on the Macedonian front launched a counter-attack on the Serbians in the Cerna river region last night, the war office announced. The Bulgarians were repulsed with heavy losses. The Italians continue to make progress in the region west of Monastir.

CROSS DANUBE
Sofia, Nov. 26, via London Nov. 27.—The Bulgar and German forces under Field Marshal Von Mackensen have crossed the Danube at two points east of Alt-Valley, according to an official statement issued by the office today. The first crossing was made by the Bulgarians near Sivirova, about fifty miles east of the foot of the Alt-Valley. The second crossing was made by the Germans near Somerville at the mouth of the Alt.

RUMANIANS RETIRE
Bucharest, Nov. 27.—(Via London)—The Rumanians have retired from the line of the river Alt, the war office announced.

BODY OF EMPEROR IS LYING IN STATE

Vienne, Nov. 27.—(Via London)—The coffin of Emperor Francis Joseph has been finally closed, but the body will remain lying in state until Thursday, the war office announced.

At the burial in the crypt of the Capuchin a historic ceremony will be carried out which was designed to impress the monarch's successor that in spite of all pomp a sovereign is merely a mortal. The funeral procession will be halted at the entrance to the vault by a challenge from within: "Who is there?"

The reply will be made: "His Most Serene Majesty, the Emperor Francis Joseph." The challenger will then reply: "I know him not." Responding to a second challenge the announcement will be made:

"The Emperor of Austria and Apostolic King of Hungary is outside. Again the challenger will answer: "I know him not." When, for the third time, the voice within asks who demands admission, the master of ceremonies will reply: "A sinful man, but they were repulsed by the German artillery and machine gun fire."

The portals will then open and the procession enter.

RESIST STUBBORNLY
Petrograd, Nov. 27.—(Via London)—The war office announces that the retiring Rumanians are resisting the Austro-German forces in Western Wallachia, availing themselves of natural defenses. The invaders have occupied positions on the Vede river between Rochi de Vede and Valeni.

CHARGED WITH SLAYING WIFE
Fremont, O., Nov. 27.—The trial of Joseph Kiser, charged with murdering his wife, came up for trial here today before Judge Garver. It is expected several days will be required to secure a jury. Mrs. Kiser died on November 17, a year ago, and following an investigation by the grand jury, Kiser was indicted last February for first degree murder, it being charged he administered poison.

WANT FINAL RULING
Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Supreme court review of lower court decisions construing the new national defense act to hold state guardsmen in service for federal purposes despite their failure or refusal to take the new oath was asked today by Alexander Emerson and A. P. Lowell, of Boston.

BIG FIRE IN SPRINGFIELD
Springfield, O., Nov. 27.—The finishing plant of the O. S. Kelly Co., manufacturers of piano plates, was totally destroyed yesterday, causing a loss, estimated at \$150,000.

Working In Cincinnati
Frank Luther, a former local special policeman, has resumed his former occupation as an automobile repair man, having taken employment in Cincinnati.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 27.—Richard Travers, of Portsmouth, Ohio, who has been in this city on his honeymoon the last three weeks, ended his life by shooting through the temple yesterday in the private office of the manager of the branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia. The tragedy followed the detention of the Ohioan by the bank officials when he attempted to cash an alleged forged check for \$411.

He is said to be about 29 years old, with relatives at Portsmouth, O., and Louisville, Ky. He married a Louisville girl three weeks ago. The condition of the bride is so critical that the police do not venture to acquaint her with the news of the tragedy.

According to Probate Judge Beatty no marriage license has been issued here to a man giving the name of Richard Travers.

State Has One Game Booked For Next Year
Columbus, Nov. 27.—Ohio State University, which won the western conference football championship Saturday by defeating Northwestern University 23 to 3, will make no extravagant schedule demands next Saturday when western conference athletic representatives meet in Chicago to prepare next season's football schedules.

POOR TO GET POTATOES ON THANKSGIVING
New York, Nov. 27.—A harvest of potatoes, gathered at the Church of the Stranger, will be distributed among the poor Wednesday as a Thanksgiving offering. At the request of the pastor, worshippers who attended the church services yesterday were requested to drop at least one potato in barrels placed near the door. The collection was large enough to pack fifty or sixty baskets.

Irving Drew Is On Merger Committee
Oxford, Ohio, Nov. 27.—Last night 250 Western College girls celebrated the consolidation of their school with Oxford College for Women by marching to the latter institution and serenading their new sisters. New songs and yells were given, after which the visitors were served with refreshments.

The details of the merger of the two colleges are in the hands of a committee of eight, four trustees from each institution. This committee is composed of Robert S. Fulton, of Cincinnati; Irving

Drew, of Portsmouth; Thomas Elder, of Dayton, and J. S. Crowell, of Springfield, for the Western College, and Elam Fisher, of Eaton, and W. M. Beaton, J. Gilbert Welsh and W. H. Stewart, of Oxford, for Oxford College.

It is understood that Dr. William Waddell Boyd, president of the Western College, will be president of the new institution, and that Dr. Jane Shorzer, president of Oxford College, will be vice president. Also there is talk of a joint commencement next June.

LOSES CONTROL OF EYE LID
Jim Gillen, hostler for Dr. Jos. H. Gill, veterinary surgeon, is suffering with a new and strange eye disease, Jim's right eye-lid came down with a sudden thud Saturday and

has since refused to move back to its normal position. He says he has not suffered the slightest pain, but simply has lost control of the eye-lid.

TWO SALOONS OPENED
George Freshel, proprietor of the Palace restaurant on Second street, Monday re-engaged in the saloon business, which he quit a little over a year ago. Freshel & Emrich also opened their new saloon in the former Joe Distel stand on New Eighth street, Monday. Gus Hoemer did not open his new cafe on Chillicothe street, as expected, Monday, the building not yet being ready for occupancy. He hopes to get his place started by December 1st.

On Hunting Trip
Billy Hamilton, a Chillicothe hunter, who formerly worked for Frank Servey, passed through Portsmouth Monday enroute home from a hunting trip to Winchester, Adams county.

Leaves Hospital
William Livingston, who last week lost his left hand in an accident he met with while employed in the plant of the Whitaker-Bessner Company, left the Heintzel Hospital Monday and returned to his home in Mabert Road.

Elks Ho'd Tournament
On December 3 members of the Portsmouth Lodge of Elks will begin an auction bridge tournament. It will be concluded with a "big feed" and will be followed by a pool tournament.

Returns to Work
After a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Oakes of Eighth street, George Oakes left Monday for Washington, C. H., where he is located in the interest of the Ohio Telephone company.

"Bud" Joins Club
E. W. Gableman of the Cincinnati Enquirer, is among the latest Cincinnatians to join the popular Duckworth Club.

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Closing Out Prices On All Women's Hats

We are going to close out all our women's trimmed and untrimmed velvet hats if low prices will do it. You can buy a hat for Thanksgiving at next to nothing. We must have the room for holiday goods. So come and buy a hat at your own price.

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COUNTY NEWS

John School Inspector George Twiss of the State Department of Public Instruction visited the West Side high schools at Rarden, Otway and McDermott last week. These schools are asking for third grade charters and will be favorably recommended for such charters by Mr. Twiss. These schools were scattered on the suggestion of Supt. E. O. McCowan in 1915 and the students who graduate this year will graduate from a school with a third grade charter. The South Webster high school expects to receive a first grade charter next year.

Postmaster and Mrs. Alex. Givens, of McGaw, and Rev. and Mrs. A. K. Murphy and daughter, Mrs. Clyde Virgin, of Rushtown, expect to leave Wednesday on an automobile trip to Chillicothe, Washington, C. H., Dayton and Tiffin. They will spend Thanksgiving day with relatives in the latter city.

The L. D. DeLagrange Contracting Company, of Fort Wayne, Ind., are pouring the concrete "footings" for the basement walls of the Wheelersburg high school building. S. A. Stewart, of Sciotoville, is drilling a well for the new school. The work will be pushed rapidly and Lewis DeLagrange gave his assurance last week that the work will go on during the winter months as rapidly as it is now.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vogt, of Columbus, are visiting Otto Zoelner and family, of Dogwood Ridge, and other relatives in the county.

Miss Dorothea Thomas and Miss Mildred Thomas, of Lucasville, will spend Thanksgiving in Cincinnati.

Dr. C. M. Warwick, of Lucasville, stepped out on the back porch Sunday evening, not knowing the cellar door was open, and fell down the steps, breaking a bone in his right foot. Dr. J. R. Hilling was called and attended him. He was resting nicely Monday.

Miss Florence Keiser, of Lucasville, will spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Madisonville.

C. & O. CASE TO BE HEARD DEC. 9
Covington, Ky., Nov. 27.—Fight against Adamson eight-hour law has been joined by the C. & O. railroad in a suit filed Saturday in federal court, at Covington, for an injunction to prevent Thomas D. Slattery, district attorney, from attempting legal proceedings for enforcement of the law. The case will be heard before Judge Cochran, at Marysville, Ky., Dec. 9.

Reliable Home Treatment
Thousands of wives, mothers and sisters are enthusiastic in their praise of Orin, because it has cured their loved ones of the "Drink Habit" and thereby brought happiness to their homes. Can be given secretly. Orin is prepared in two forms: No. 1, secret treatment; Orin No. 2, the voluntary treatment. Costs only \$1.00 a box. Ask for booklet. Warster Bros., 116 Chillicothe St.

U. C. T. Meeting
C. J. Morten and Louis Wirth, of Cincinnati, grand executive committee member and past grand councillor of the U. C. T.'s respectively, attended a meeting of River City Council No. 11 here Saturday night. W. S. Pixley, traveling salesman for the Peppercorn Company, of Waverly, and H. H. Miller of the Portsmouth Candy Co., were initiated as members of the organization.

Moose To Banquet
Peerless Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, will hold a banquet and big class initiation Tuesday night.

Masons Will Confer Degree
Mt. Vernon chapter, No. 23 R. & S. M. will convene at two o'clock Thursday afternoon to confer the degrees of the chapter upon one candidate. Being Thanksgiving a large number is expected to attend the meeting.

Back From Cincy
Will Adams has returned from a week's business trip to Cincinnati.

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Fashion's Latest Models In New Dresses
We are showing some new arrivals in the plented and straight line effect in Serges, Satins, Poplins, Combination Serge and Satins with the new gold embroidered effects in the popular shades in blues, plums and greens. Prices ranging from \$15.00 to \$27.50.

A. Brunner & Sons
909-911 Gallia St.

Triangle Features at Temple
Tuesday Nov. 28. 7 big reels

"The Primal Lure"
WILLIAM S. HART IN
5 BIG REELS

"Bath Tub Perils"
7 Reels
10 Cents

WAR

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goes, are announced in the German headquarters statement.

47 MILES FROM BUCHAREST
Berlin, Nov. 27.—(By wireless to Sayville)—German and Austro-Hungarian troops under command of Lieut. General Kraft von Delnensingen advancing on both sides of the river Alt, in Wallachia, yesterday pushed back the Rumanian forces beyond the Topolog river says the official statement issued today by the German army headquarters.

Alexandria, a Rumanian town 47 miles southwest of Bucharest, was captured yesterday by Teuton forces.

The Rumanian forces which had retired from the Danube town was pushed further to the southeast by the Austro-German troops, the statement adds. The Rumanian force has now been blocked by the approach of other Teuton forces in the rear. In this sector 28 officers and 1,200 men have been captured by the Teutons who also have taken three cannon and a great quantity of munitions.

Strong attacks were directed by troops of the entente powers against German positions on the heights to the east of Parlovo in Southern Serbia, adds the official statement. These attacks broke down under the tenacious resistance of the German rifle battalions. West of the Vardar river British troops directed a strong fire against the Teuton positions and then launched an attack which was repulsed.

French forces last night attacked the German positions in the southern portion of St. Pierre Vaast Wood, on the river Somme front continues the official statement, but they were repulsed by the German artillery and machine gun fire.

RESIST STUBBORNLY
Petrograd, Nov. 27.—(Via London)—The war office announces that the retiring Rumanians are resisting the Austro-German forces in Western Wallachia, availing themselves of natural defenses. The invaders have occupied positions on the Vede river between Rochi de Vede and Valeni.

CHARGED WITH SLAYING WIFE
Fremont, O., Nov. 27.—The trial of Joseph Kiser, charged with murdering his wife, came up for trial here today before Judge Garver. It is expected several days will be required to secure a jury. Mrs. Kiser died on November 17, a year ago, and following an investigation by the grand jury, Kiser was indicted last February for first degree murder, it being charged he administered poison.

WANT FINAL RULING
Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Supreme court review of lower court decisions construing the new national defense act to hold state guardsmen in service for federal purposes despite their failure or refusal to take the new oath was asked today by Alexander Emerson and A. P. Lowell, of Boston.

BIG FIRE IN SPRINGFIELD
Springfield, O., Nov. 27.—The finishing plant of the O. S. Kelly Co., manufacturers of piano plates, was totally destroyed yesterday, causing a loss, estimated at \$150,000.

Working In Cincinnati
Frank Luther, a former local special policeman, has resumed his former occupation as an automobile repair man, having taken employment in Cincinnati.

LOSES CONTROL OF EYE LID
Jim Gillen, hostler for Dr. Jos. H. Gill, veterinary surgeon, is suffering with a new and strange eye disease, Jim's right eye-lid came down with a sudden thud Saturday and

has since refused to move back to its normal position. He says he has not suffered the slightest pain, but simply has lost control of the eye-lid.

TWO SALOONS OPENED
George Freshel, proprietor of the Palace restaurant on Second street, Monday re-engaged in the saloon business, which he quit a little over a year ago. Freshel & Emrich also opened their new saloon in the former Joe Distel stand on New Eighth street, Monday. Gus Hoemer did not open his new cafe on Chillicothe street, as expected, Monday, the building not yet being ready for occupancy. He hopes to get his place started by December 1st.

On Hunting Trip
Billy Hamilton, a Chillicothe hunter, who formerly worked for Frank Servey, passed through Portsmouth Monday enroute home from a hunting trip to Winchester, Adams county.

Leaves Hospital
William Livingston, who last week lost his left hand in an accident he met with while employed in the plant of the Whitaker-Bessner Company, left the Heintzel Hospital Monday and returned to his home in Mabert Road.

Elks Ho'd Tournament
On December 3 members of the Portsmouth Lodge of Elks will begin an auction bridge tournament. It will be concluded with a "big feed" and will be followed by a pool tournament.

Returns to Work
After a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Oakes of Eighth street, George Oakes left Monday for Washington, C. H., where he is located in the interest of the Ohio Telephone company.

"Bud" Joins Club
E. W. Gableman of the Cincinnati Enquirer, is among the latest Cincinnatians to join the popular Duckworth Club.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

19 DRIVEN INTO COLD, COLD WORLD
Toledo, O., Nov. 27.—Fire in the Browning Flats drove seven families—19 persons in all—from their apartments at 1:45 this morning. The temperature was below freezing and many were scantily clad. They were aroused by dense smoke and crashing glass. None was injured.

HANGS SELF
Akron, O., Nov. 27.—John Schrank, 30 years old, of Pittsburgh, Penna., nailed an iron hook to the wall of a boarding house room here this morning, fastened a rope about his neck and through the hook, and hung himself. No motive is given.

BIG COLLECTION TAKEN
Chicago, Nov. 27.—Peter's Pence, the annual collection for the Pope, taken in Chicago Roman Catholic churches yesterday will approximate \$100,000, it was estimated by ecclesiastical authorities today. Heretofore the annual collection in this arch-diocese for the Pope has been about \$20,000.

TAKING A STRIKE VOTE
Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 27.—Conductors, engineers, trainmen and firemen of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad, were voting today whether a strike should be authorized to back up a demand that the road discuss grievances with a joint committee of the four big brotherhoods.

Farewell Week For The Broadway Players

MON., TUES., WED. NIGHTS AT 8 P. M. TUES. AND WED. MATINEE AT 2:30

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

THE MOST ELABORATE PRESENTATION OF THIS GREAT DRAMA EVER PRODUCED IN PORTSMOUTH

Country Store FRIDAY NIGHT

SUN Theatre

LAST HALF THIS WEEK.

"Human Hearts"

THE MOST POPULAR PLAY BEFORE THE PUBLIC. A PORTSMOUTH CHILD WILL PLAY ONE OF THE IMPORTANT PARTS. GUESS WHO SHE IS.

Watch For The New Company-**OPENING** Mon. Dec. 4

MUTT AND JEFF

JEFF DOESN'T BELIEVE IN ANY LABOR WHAT EVER

By BUD FISHER

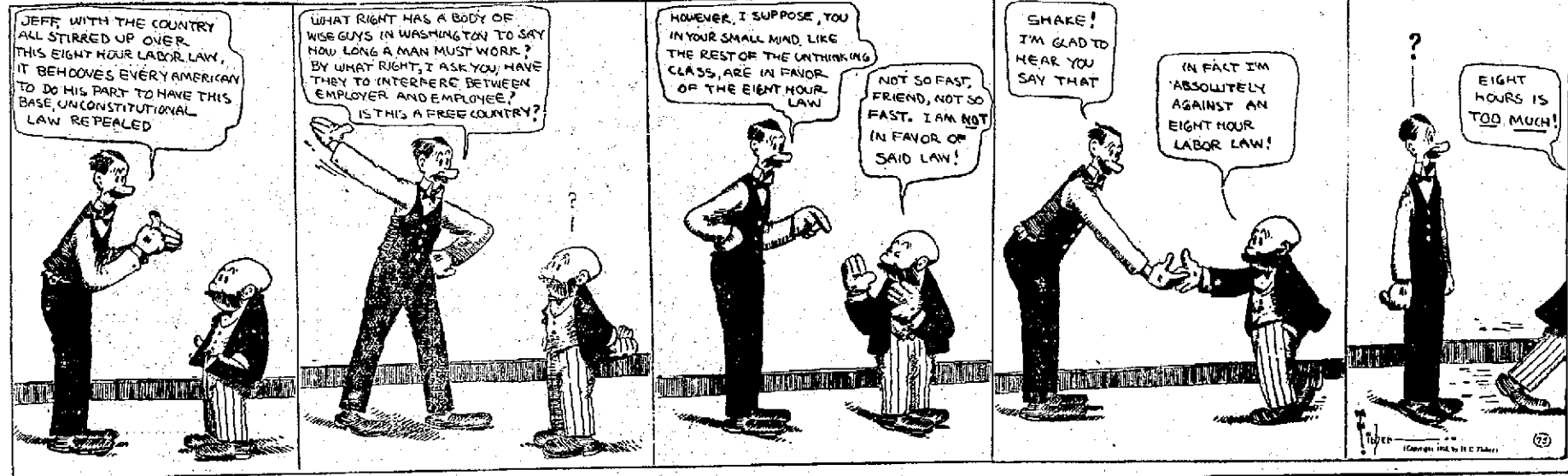
RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Nov. 27.
Observations taken at 8 a. m. at Meridian 117° 30' W.

	Bar.	Therm.	Wind.	Humid.	Dir.
Franklin	15	31 F	0-8		
Greensboro	15	9.9 F	0-3		
Pittsburgh	22	7.3 R			
Wheeling	36	7.7 R			
Zanesville	25	8.6 F	0-4		
Parkersburg	36	7.2 F	0-4		
Charleston	30	7.7 F	0-4		
Dan No. 26	50	7.1 R	0-5		
Huntington	50	8.3 R			
Portsmouth	50	8.5 R	0-4		
Cincinnati	50	12.3 R	0-1		

FOUR A.M.
Traps down at Parkersburg
Fair over upper Ohio valley to night and Tuesday. River at Portsmouth rises somewhat.
F. B. WINTER
River Observer

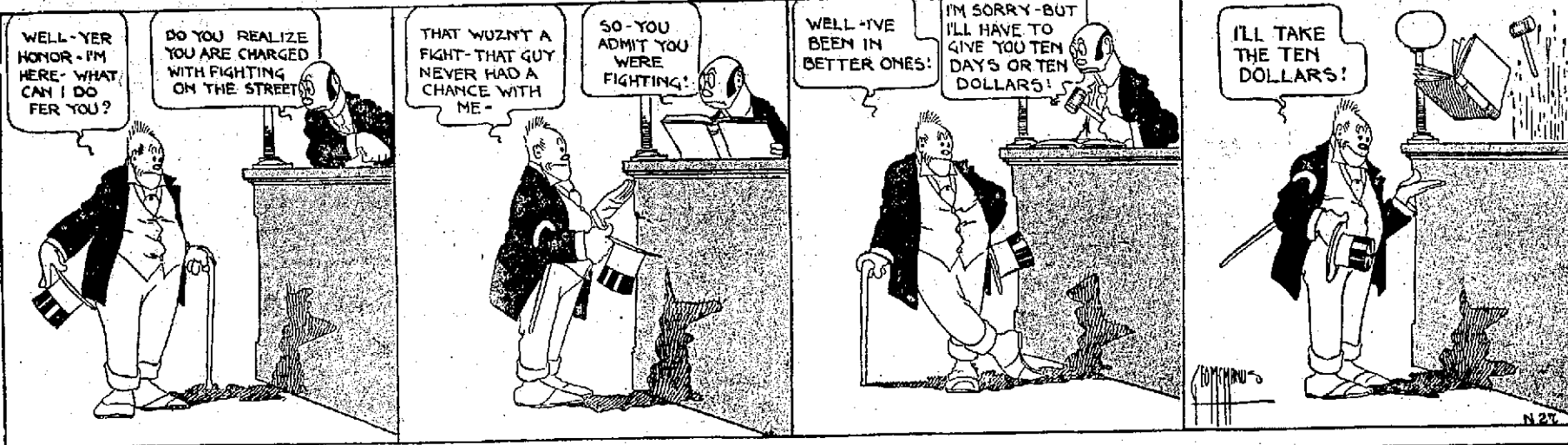
Rains in the upper valley last week have caused a little rise in the Ohio river. The stage was 5.5 feet and rising Monday morning. The packet Greenleaf is due from Cincinnati for Pomeroy Tuesday.



BRINGING UP FATHER

By GEORGE McMANUS

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Geeks Shoeing For Kiddies

The Geeks last week furnished shoes to more than 25 kiddies in the city. With the colder weather here demands are made upon the Geeks' shoe fund.

Returns To Detroit

R. B. Tynes, who has charge of the Detroit office of the Harbison-Walker company, left Monday for that city after visiting relatives here for several days.

Arm Is Fractured

Mrs. Ida Mann, who resides below Fullerton, fell Sunday and fractured her right arm. Mrs. Mann is now at the home of Mrs. Mary Barton, of Jackson street.

To Take Vacation

Richard H. Boyd of 1024 Clay street, who is employed by the Union Glove company, will leave shortly for Cumberland, Ky., where he will spend a two weeks' vacation.

To Complete Road In Ten Days

Ten days of such weather as Sunday and the paving between Sciotoville and Wheelersburg will be completed, according to John J. Harper, county engineer. And within two or three days after the work is completed, it will be opened for traffic. So citizens using this road need not fear that temporary roads and indirect routes will have to be used this winter, according to Engineer Harper.

Delegates Named To Attend Bar Meeting

Judge James S. Thomas Monday appointed Attorneys Will J. Meyer and Clint Searl as delegates from Scioto county to the mid-winter meeting of the Ohio Bar Association that will be held in the Deshler hotel in Columbus December 20 and 21. Many prominent speakers of the country will deliver addresses at this meeting.

Mothers' Club Bake Sale Is A Success

The bake sale held Saturday afternoon by the Fourth Street Mothers' Club was a decided success. Over twenty-five dollars was made and several donations were received. The proceeds of the sale are to be used in purchasing clothing for the needy and worthy poor this winter. A substantial check from Mrs. Jean Barr Boreham, former president of the club, who now resides in Cleveland, was received. The check was accompanied by a letter congratulating the local society upon their charitable work and giving a detailed account of similar work which is being done at the Lincoln school, Cleveland. Besides furnishing clothing to the poor children, each year, the members of the club have installed a bath tub at the Fourth street school where the children, who come from homes where there are no bathing facilities, may take advantage of it. Last week, 11 children received baths. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Lena Brunner Schultz, Seventh and Court streets.

Every Township In County Is Organized

The Scioto County Sunday school campaign came to a close Sunday when Vernon and Union townships were organized. At Lynn a fine meeting was held in the Antioch Baptist church with a splendid crowd present. The speakers were W. W. Gates, J. E. Finney and M. H. F. Kinsey. The following officers were elected for Vernon township: William Sheppard, president; Charles Besco, vice president; Miss Bertha Bailey, secretary; S. O. Hayward, treasurer. The convention for Union township was held at Lombardsville with C. W. Rademour, E. F. Rideout and Russell Rutledge as speakers. The following officers were elected for Union township: Charles Crowder, president; Karl Reed, secretary; Mrs. Eva Reed, treasurer. The campaign has been a glowing success. Every township in Scioto county has been organized. Seventeen conventions have been held and 49 addresses on Sunday school work delivered with a total attendance of 1903. The climax of this great county campaign will be the big county convention which will hold this week in Portsmouth.

Back In Grocery

James Goodpaster, who four months ago sold his grocery business at Twelfth and Waller streets to Moses Martin & Son closed a deal with them Monday whereby he becomes owner again of the store. Mr. Goodpaster assumed immediate charge. Excepting those four months he has been in the grocery business at that same stand for the past 33 years.

Boy Scout News

East End Troop Tonight
The East End Boy Scout Troop will meet tonight at Manly M. E. church at 8:30 o'clock. Important business will be transacted. Let every member be present.

Corwin Knowles, Scribe.
Basketball Tuesday
The following basketball games are scheduled for Tuesday night: East End vs. Eagles. Tigers vs. Second Pres. Grays vs. Evangelicals. Reds vs. Ideals. First game will start at 8:00 p. m.

File Motion
A motion asking that the plaintiff be required to file a copy of a contract with their petition, was filed in common pleas court Monday by Chris Malavazos, party defendant in a suit for money alleged due, instituted by Robert L. Roberts, contractor. The petition claims the money due for work done on the Richardson building, Fifth and Chillicothe streets. Skelton and Young represent the defendant.

Meet Tonight
Magnolia Lodge Knights of Pythias will meet this Monday evening. Contest between the "Red" and "Blue" and degree team work will feature a rousing big meeting. All members urged to come early and stay late.

A DAGGER IN THE BACK

That's the woman's dread when she gets up in the morning to start the day's work. "Oh! how my back aches." GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules taken today ease the backache of tomorrow—taken every day ends the backache for all time. Don't delay. What's the use of suffering? Begin taking GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules today and be relieved tomorrow. Take three or four every day and he permanently free from wrenching, distressing back pain. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Since 1696 GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been the National remedy of Holland, the Government of the Netherlands having granted a special charter authorizing its preparation and sale. The housewife of Holland would almost as soon be without bread as she would without her "Real Dutch Drops", as she quaintly calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This is the one reason why you will find the women and children of Holland so sturdy and robust.

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"THANKS" IS FIRST AMERICAN WORD CHINESE GIRL LEARNS

That Orientals are an appreciative people is demonstrated in the case of Woo Kun, Portsmouth's first and only Chinese girl. Woo Kun is the daughter of S. H. Woo, an employee of the Woo Yon laundry, on Chillicothe street, and came to the United States from China with her mother just a few months ago. The first English word the little seven-year-old miss has been able to master is "Thanks." She utters this in a most polite manner for each and every favor or gift, no matter how small it may be. She is also gradually discarding her native garb and beginning to wear sweaters and other American-made wearing apparel. The proud father expects to begin sending her to one of the local public schools the first of the year.

Donations Coming

Officers of the Girls' Protective Association report that donations are coming in nicely for the new home to be erected by that body at Stewartsville next spring. Much brick and other building material has already been given. The association at present has more applicants than ever known before.

Chim Boy Is Bad.
Habitual truancy and incorrigibility are charged in an affidavit filed in probate court Monday against Roy Fife, 15, by J. H. Hurd, truant officer.

Try Fisher & Streich's Pure Snow Flake Baking Powder, the kind grandma always used; one trial makes a customer. 17-107.



A DISH FIT FOR A KING

The National Bird done to a turn in the true American style is a dish fit for a king. What of your silver service—is it equally fit for a king? If perchance you are thinking of something better, we suggest

Paul Revere Silver

KINGS AND PRINCES USE NO BETTER. The Paul Revere in Towle Sterling has the virtue of simplicity. It is the notable achievement of a century in artistic silversmithing. It has weight, grace and beauty of outline, very pleasing to the eye as you sit at the festal board, "Monarch of all you survey."

As a Holiday Gift

Sterling Silver in individual selections or complete table service is always appropriate and appreciated. As a matter of taste—the Paul Revere

Cito Zoellner & Bro. 416 Chillicothe Street

Look! Resinol has cleared that awful skin-eruption away

The moment that Resinol Ointment touches itching skin the itching usually stops and healing begins. That is why doctors have prescribed it so successfully for over 20 years in even the severest cases of eczema, ringworm, rashes, and many other tormenting, disfiguring skin diseases. Aided by warm baths with Resinol Soap, Resinol Ointment makes a sick skin or scalp healthy, quickly, easily and at little cost.

Protect Ointment and Resinol Soap also greatly help to clear away pimples and freckles. Sold by all druggists. Men with under hairs welcome Resinol Shaving Stick.

Cotette Meets Tonight

The Elks' Cotette, which will take part in the annual lodge of sorrow next Sunday, will meet for rehearsal tonight at the Elks' club.

Highest standard materials used by Brehmer, the Painter. 11f



Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 80.

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Dear Miss Wise: Please tell me if a half dollar dated 1859 is worth more than its face value. If so, how much and where may I send it?

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The coin is worth only its face value.
Dear Miss Wise: Please publish the war prices, or the highest price on wheat and corn during the Crimean, Franco-Prussian and civil wars.
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KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets
The secret of keeping young is to feel young—to do this you must watch your liver and bowels—there's no need of having a sallow complexion—dark rings under your eyes—pimples—a bilious look in your face—dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.
Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action, yet always effective. They bring about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyancy which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities.

You will know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets by their color. 10c an 25c per box. All druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilcox have returned from Columbus, where they went to see the Ohio State-Northwestern University football game. Mr. Carl Speck entertained at the Athletic Club for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox and also for Miss Lillian Arbens, of Wheeling, W. Va., who came over for the game.

Any donations for the Home for Aged Women will be thankfully received. Anyone who has not been solicited can send their donations to the Home. Don't forget the old ladies at the Home.

Miss Eloise Hicks spent Saturday in Columbus, where she went to see the Ohio State-Northwestern University football game.

See Schoenberg's Advance Models for 1917. Has any of the patent boned corsets. SPIRELLA a specialty. 521 Market, Phone 657.

Mrs. Ellen Gentry, of San Benito, Texas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russell Becker on Gentry street. Mrs. Gentry will go to Florida later to spend a part of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Shumway are entertaining at dinner this evening Mrs. E. G. Anderson, of Seattle, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Anderson.

Mrs. Clara Geer and daughter, Page, will go to Ashland to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mr. Wade S. Kennedy came home last night from a visit in Cincinnati, where he left Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Irene McGregor, who will come home this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brunny will go to Piquette to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Brunny's parents.

The Mizpah Class of the Central Presbyterian church will hold a bake sale all day Wednesday at the Levi Furniture store on Gallia street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stahler will entertain with a family dinner on Thanksgiving.

Mr. W. G. Williams, Mrs. E. J. Morgan and children, Martha and David, motored to Oak Hill Sunday to see Mrs. Morgan's new nephew, the new baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, which has been named "David."

Constant Lake, young son of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Lake, has been ill for the past few days at his home on Fourth street.

Miss Lucile Curtis, who has been visiting relatives in Linton, arrived today to visit Mrs. Clarence Nodder until Wednesday, when she will go to her home in Amesville.

Mrs. Orin Dodds and daughter, Edith, of Radford, Va., who are visiting Mrs. Jennie Porter and other relatives and friends in Portsmouth, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nodder.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Breinig and daughter, Katherine Ann, of Offshore street, motored to Waverly, Sunday, and spent the day there with relatives.

Thanksgiving Suit Sale

A recent purchase enables us to offer some very remarkable suit values of the better grades, and we have also included all of our best models, one of a kind here and there, thus giving you a splendid selection to pick from.

Among These Suits

You will find Velour Checks, Gabardines, Broadcloth, Poplins, Pongee Twills, not a suit in the lot worth less than \$25 and a great many at \$30 and \$32.50. Choice Tuesday and Wednesday, including stouts up to size 55

\$18.50

THANKSGIVING SALE OF WAISTS, BLOUSES, RIBBONS

COLLARS

Extra special Crepe de Chine and Tub Silk Waists that usually retail at \$2.50 and \$2.98. Special **\$1.98**
Extra special Wash Waists of various dark materials or all white, all the newest creations in waistdom. Values up to \$1.75. Choice **98c**
A special lot of Lace and Georgette Crepe Waists, also plaid Taffeta Waists that have been selling up to \$5. Special **\$3.50** only



Among the Cheaper Number

You will find suits worth up to \$22.50. Choice for 2 days only **\$14.95**

Here you will find good picking
All other suits reduced in proportion.

EXTRA SPECIAL!

Large silk Crepe de Chine and Georgette crepe collars at **75 and 98c**
Worth \$1.00 and \$1.50. See them in window.
One hundred pieces of extra fine Taffeta Ribbons in plain shades, plaids and stripes, sold from 25c to 35c per yard. Choice on **19c** table, per yard

Grand Opera House Site **The ATLAS CO.** Fourth and Chillicothe
Blue Coupon Stamp Books redeemed same as cash.

Eczema Is Conquered

Greasy salves and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 25c of \$1.00 for extra large jar, get a bottle of Zemo. When applied as directed, it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, penetrating, antiseptic and it is as effective as you have ever used it as effective and satisfying.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

Mrs. Nellie Connell came home last night from Cincinnati, where she spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Taggart, who recently moved there.

Mrs. E. G. Nave, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Henry Amberg, left Saturday for Columbus to spend Sunday with her brother, Mr. Preston Curtis, and from there will go to Cleveland to visit several weeks with her daughter before going home to San Diego, Cal.

The women of the German Evangelical church will hold their annual Thanksgiving sale Tuesday. There will be aprons, fancy work, bread, pie and cake on sale beginning at 2 o'clock. Lunch will be served from 3 till 7 o'clock.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain, 12th and Main, for lunch menu for Tuesday will be: Roast beef, gravy, sweet potatoes, apple sauce, bread and butter, gingerbread and cheese, tea and coffee, all for 15 cents. Come and try it.

Mrs. James W. Bannan will have a family dinner Thanksgiving, when there will be gathered about her Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bannan and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Bannan and children, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bannan, Jr., and children, Miss Charlotte Bannan and Mrs. Josephine Murlin, of Ann Arbor, Mich., sister of Mrs. Bannan.

Mrs. Charles Hauck and daughter, Edna, came home last night from Cincinnati, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. William Graf, at Hyde Park. Miss Lena Hauck will remain in Cincinnati until Wednesday.

Miss Dolcie Blomeyer came home last night after visiting relatives in Cleveland, and was accompanied home by Mrs. Carl Lorenz, who came to attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Ora Locher, and Mr. Robert Connell. Miss Marjorie Jenkins will come tonight from Cleveland after visiting a day with friends in Delaware, and Miss Emma Jenkins will arrive tomorrow from Delaware.

Mrs. J. W. Goss, of Cincinnati, is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Louise Burke, until after Thanksgiving, and will attend the Connell-Locher wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Chase entertained informally last evening at their home on Seventh street in honor of Mr. Jack Morgan and Mr. Leo Burke.

GRANDMOTHER KNEW

There Was Nothing So Good for Congestion and Colds as Mustard

But the old-fashioned mustard-plaster burned and blistered while it acted. You can now get the relief and help that mustard plasters gave, without the plaster and without the blister. Mustard does it. It is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It is scientifically prepared so that it works wonders, and it does not blister the tenderest skin. Just massage Mustard into the finger tips gently. See how quickly it brings relief—how speedily the pain disappears. Use Mustard for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bite, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). 25c and 50c jars, hospital size, \$2.50.

MUSTEROL

ing persons in the Ohio river Sunday afternoon: Clara Hughes, Ruth Groh and Mary Monroe, Homer Burgess and Charles Hells.

Mrs. Bess Turner of Sciotoville spent Sunday with Mrs. George Reif.

Bobbie, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walters, of Nirvana, is suffering with whooping cough.

Miss Ella Moore and Byron Smith of Portsmouth were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walters of Nirvana.

Mrs. Harry Molster and daughter Miss Jessie Evans of Portsmouth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Evans of Nirvana.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adams of Main street returned home Saturday evening after spending a few days in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackey and daughter Miss Mabel and Mrs. M. P. Mackey and son Brant took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Mackey.

THANKSGIVING GOOD THINGS TO EAT
Dressed turkeys and chickens, fresh rabbits, fresh oysters, eel, cranberries, lettuce, orange, bananas, nuts and candies, canned peas, corn and tomatoes. Cheese, pickles, cakes, crackers and bread. Fresh butter. Phone us your grocery orders.

J. J. BRUSHART, The Cash Grocer.

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Needs constant care and attention to keep it always soft, silky and youthful in appearance. It is the blood that feeds the hair glands with oxygen, nitrogen, hydrogen, carbon and sulphur—the elements that compose all healthy hair—you must use

VOLA-VITA
VOLA-VITA supplies these elements to starved and dying hair. Thus it restores and keeps the youthful color, naturally makes new hair grow and stops falling hair and dandruff.

VOLA-VITA contains no alcohol to falsify stimulate but eventually kill the hair roots.

VOLA-VITA is sold and guaranteed by all good druggists and the Volu-Vita Mfg. Co., Chicago, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.

SEE WITH THE EYES OF YOUTH

Our Special Toric Kryptok Glasses—the only invisible Bifocal overcome the drawback of near and far-sightedness and restore the clear sharp vision of youth.

Kryptoks are the only bifocals without those annoying lines. Nobody but the wearer would ever guess—they were double vision lenses.

Examination free, all glasses guaranteed.

E. J. STAEBLER
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A COMFORTABLE MODEL
1850. Ladies' Yoke Apron.

This design is practical and desirable. The yoke is cut with the sleeve in one. Ample pockets trim the apron front. Lawn, gingham, seersucker, linene, drill, sateen, and alpaca are good for its development. The pattern is cut in 3 sizes: Small, Medium and Large.

It requires 5 1/2 yards of 36-inch material for a Medium size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

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This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc. plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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Street and Number
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City State

Well worth trying by those who value health—
"There's a Reason."

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Levi D. York will entertain with a family dinner Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Milton H. Longfellow, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sterns and little son Mr. and Mrs. R. D. York and family.

Miss Mabel McKerrinhan is at home after an extended visit in the Alleghenies, after which she spent several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Clarence King, in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stephenson, of Eckman, K. Va., are here for a visit with Mrs. Stephenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Spencer. They will go to Mansfield for a short visit with Mr. Stephenson's parents, after which they will return to Portsmouth to continue their visit for awhile.

Miss Mildred Chick has returned from a short visit in Chicago.

The Philaetha class of the First Baptist Sunday school will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, at 7:30, at the home of Miss Inez Starbuck, 1524 Tenth street. All members are urged to be present as there will be business of importance.

Mrs. Norma Mark Young has resigned as soprano soloist in the First Presbyterian quartet on account of illness. Mrs. Roy Lyon will take Mrs. Young's place in the quartet.

The marriage of Mr. William Denning, son of John L. Denning, well-known grocer, of 1313 Chillicothe street, and Miss Virginia Cutlip, of Luensville, daughter of Joseph Cutlip, took place Saturday afternoon, at half-after two. Rev. J. E. Dibert officiated. The bride wore a suit of blue taffeta. The ceremony was witnessed by several friends, who extended congratulations, with best wishes for future happiness. The groom has a good position at the Ohio Stone foundry. They will go to housekeeping at 1625 East Tenth street.

Loretta Louise, the newly-born baby daughter of Grocer and Mrs. Hugh Rudity, of Second and Sinton streets, was baptized by Rev. J. E. McGuirk at Holy Redeemer church Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs.

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THE MODERN Breakfast Cup

is served to all the family.

—no denying the children for fear of harming them

—no hesitation on the housewife's part lest it make her nervous.

—no doubt about the wisdom of a second cup for the husband for fear of disturbing his digestion.

This snappy flavored table drink, so popular now-days, is

Wonderfully Interesting Pictures at the Lyric All Week—Edith Storey and Antonio Moreno Tonight

You'll miss a great picture if you don't see "The Shop Girl" at the Lyric tonight. Antonio Moreno and Edith Storey and a selected cast of Vitaphone stars have taken this novel of C. N. Williamson's and made of it one of the most absorbingly interesting pictures you ever looked at. There is also a good comedy tonight, one of the new B. V. comedies that will be a part of the Vitaphone program which is to be shown Monday at the Lyric.

Marie Doro tomorrow in "The Lash," Alice Brady on Wednesday in "The Gilded Cage," Mae Murray Thursday in "The Big Sister," Blanche Sweet in "The Storm" on Friday and Charlie Chaplin in "Behind the Screen," his latest, on Saturday, make a program of pictures hard to excel. See them all.

At The Exhibit

"The Cave Man," a five part Blue Ribbon Vitaphone drama featuring Robert Edeson and other eminent Vitaphone stars, is today's big attraction.

Haukele Smagg (Mr. Robert Edeson) is a coal heaver. Mischief society beauty craves excitement, throws half of a five dollar bill out of her window with a note enclosed that the finder should please call at her apartment.

Smagg finds the note and calls for the other half of the five. Mischief decides on an escapade; she will win this cave man back to civilization. She will awaken his sleep brain.

Fate throws Mischief in his path again and Smagg—man-brute—inventive genius—is again in the coils of a coquette.

What would the average man do in a situation of this kind? Would he sit quietly back and let fate take its course, or would the instinct that prompts man to take his mate assert itself? The cave man wins in the end. Why?

Triangle Features at Temple Theater, Tuesday Night

While Manager Harold Potts has a cracker-jack program for tonight, five reels and every one a boudliner, nevertheless he desires to call particular attention for his big Triangle features for Tuesday night. The show will consist of seven reels, featuring that great popular actor, William S. Hart in "The Primal Lust," a five reel feature that is considered the greatest effort of Mr. Hart before the screen. This is a genuine Triangle and undoubtedly the climax of Mr. Hart's career, being equally as strong as his wonderful play, "Hell's Hinges," and a play built along similar lines. This big play will be followed by another Triangle, "Bath Tub Perils," a two reel comic, featuring Fred Mace and Mack Bennett. The admission tonight will be only five cents, but on Tuesday the admission will be 10 cents. Don't overlook tomorrow's great program.

At The Strand

"Two Men of Sandy Bar," a five-part Red Feather photo-play, featuring Hobart Bosworth and Yona Landowsky in a thrilling Western drama is tonight's big special offering. It is a play that covers a wider range of the club of members agrees to show the fabled is of the best. The play is a real thrill in Manhattan or lose \$5,000. The picture then reveals what happens to the young plainsman, who loses his life, but is well content because he has the thrill of his life, including the capture of a bride. Fairbanks is equally at home in chaps and sombrero or "soup and fish." His gymnastic capabilities are called on to the utmost after he enters upon the adventure which follows the wager, and, despite some pretty tight squeezes, he never loses the "Fairbanks smile."

At The Arcane Today, Manager Potts offers a five-reel

WANTS POLICE TO HELP HER MOVE

Mrs. Nora Engelhardt appealed to the police Monday for aid in getting moved from the house at No. 713 Fifth street. She said when George Luther arrived there with a moving van the owner of the property locked the doors against her and would not permit her effects to be taken out. Mrs. Engelhardt denied that she owed the woman any rent. Officer Dunham was detailed to investigate.

WILL MAKE TEMPORARY FILL

City Engineer Samuel G. Harper expects to run a temporary dirt fill stage of water from getting behind the wall, which the administration officials plan to continue along the low ground to the ridge back of Lawson's Run next year.

program for only five cents tonight. It is a varied program, one that will suit all tastes. The leading attraction is "Somewhere on the Battlefield," a special Universal drama of love and war, featuring William Welch, Hobart Hanley and Claire McDowell. It is a story from the pen of H. Van Loan and you all know his ability as a writer of fine plays. "With the Spirit's Help" is a Nestor comedy featuring Eddie Lyons and Lea Moran. "The Memory Mill" is a Victor drama, a colonial drama with an exceptional cast. Besides this there is an extra comedy with Charlie Chaplin, Fatty Arbuckle and Mabel Normand, a cartoon comic. Thursday Mr. Potts will offer a two-reel Essanay Chaplin comedy.

THEATRICAL At The Sun

This week closes the engagement of the Broadway Players at the Sun. A new company opens next week. For the closing week of the stock company two of the most popular plays of the day have been selected, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" for the first half of this week and "Human Hearts" for the last half of the week.

There will be a special matinee Thanksgiving at which night prices will prevail and the management kindly suggests that patrons order seats early as, on this way no doubt hundreds will be turned away. In "Human Hearts" a Portsmouth child will play one of the principal parts and on Friday night the usual country store will open up bigger and better with more free presents than ever.

A new company will follow the Broadway Players, announcement of which will be given out later. Matinees this week, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Employed in Hudson Plant

Howard Oudet, who was called here last week from Detroit by the death of his aunt, the late Mrs. Anna Brown, left Saturday for Detroit, where he is employed in the Hudson automobile plant.

Marigold Cream is not sticky; no grease. Good after shaving. If not satisfactory money refunded. Fisher & Streich's Pharmacy, 6th and Chillicothe. 17-10t

Robert "Pardso" Starks Passed Away Last Night

Calling his wife, Mrs. Mary Starks and five children to his bedside at 9:10 Sunday night, Robert "Pardso" Starks, one of the city's best known colored citizens, freshly said: "Mary, I am going to heaven. I will meet you and the children there."

Starks plowed his head, and with his weeping wife and children at his side, he died in ten minutes, his death taking place at the family residence, 1017 Eleventh street.

Seven weeks ago Starks was stricken with tuberculosis, and his death was attributed to this disease. He failed rapidly and when last seen down street several weeks ago was but a shadow of his former self.

Starks had for years been employed by the late Adam Seal and by Jacob Fincis, and he enjoyed a wide acquaintance in the city by reason of his friendly and expansive smile and his all-round sunny disposition. No favor was ever asked of "Bob" Starks; but what he instantly granted it in a manner that earned for him a reputation in this city which will linger long after he has passed away. Death has stilled his famous words that for years rang through the streets whenever he saluted a friend, "How art thou?"

Mr. Starks, a son of Rebecca and John Starks, was born in Grayson county, Ky., and was brought to this city when one year old. His parents died here a number of years ago. It was just ten years ago Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Starks were married in this city, the final summons coming on the anniversary of their happy wedding.

Mr. Starks was 51 years of age when he died and was the father of

Farm Is Sold

Sommer Bros., of Market street, have purchased the bottom farm donated to the Holy Redeemer school fund by the late Mrs. Mary Mulligan. It comprised 53 acres and the deal was closed Monday by the Rev. J. E. McGuirk.

Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 17t

BEST LIVER AND BOWEL LAXATIVE FOR FAMILY USE

"Cascarets" Regulate Women, Men and Children Without Injury.

Take When Bilious, Headachy, for Colds, Bad Breath, Sour Stomach.



Instead of nasty, harsh pills, salts, castor oil or dangerous calomel, why don't you keep Cascarets handy in your home? Cascarets act on the liver and thirty feet of bowels so gently you don't realize you have taken a cathartic, but they act thoroughly and can be depended upon when a good liver and bowel cleansing is necessary—they move the bile and poison from the bowels without gripping and sweeten the stomach. You eat one or two at night like candy and you wake up feeling fine, the headache, biliousness, bad breath, coated tongue, sour stomach, constipation, or bad cold disappears. Mothers should give across, sick, feverish or bilious children a whole Cascaret any time—they are harmless and safe for the little folks.

For The Thanksgiving Table

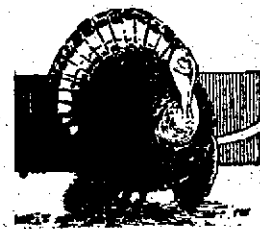
Everybody's first thought of course is turkey and its trimmings.

Next comes the Table Linens and Napkins

Have you planned the exact cloth you are going to use for this festive occasion? Perhaps you need a new one—some napkins or some small fancy linens to complete the setting of the table.

If so, your thoughts should turn to Marting's Big Linen Department

Cloths and Napkins ready to use are here. Napkins that just need hemming and cloths too by the yard, anyway you want to buy them. They are here for you and prices are reasonable too.



WE'RE STILL SELLING

An all linen bleached Damask, 70 inches wide at, per yard \$1
10 patterns to choose from that if bought by us at today's price should bring \$1.25.

OUR SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

Of Satin Damask, 70 to 72 inches wide, 30 patterns at yard \$1.50
Napkins to match and a splendid assortment of patterns. Come and see them.

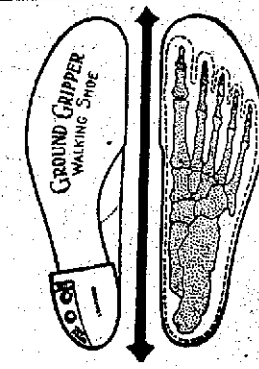
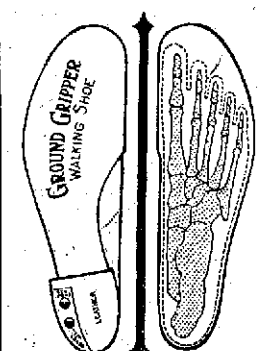
NEED NAPKINS ONLY?

Come and see our splendid line of good quality all linen napkins. It's exceptionally large and good. At \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 dozen.

Special Announcement About Ground Gripper Shoes

The manufacturer of these special health shoes has just notified us that the retail prices on them from now on should be \$8.00 per pair and withdrawing all price quotations to us for future orders.

It has always been our policy to not advance prices until it is absolutely necessary to do so and in order for those who wish to anticipate their future wants we will sell for this week and next the stock we have on hands at old prices.



Men's High or Low Shoes (Black Vici) \$6.50 Pair

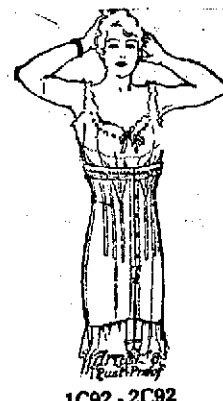
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Comfort—Real Comfort

Above all else a Warner's Rust-Proof Corset is comfortable. Of course, they are fashionable as well, but fashion's lines are gained by common-sense designing—not by freakish, exaggerated stunts.

When you see a Warner's it may look like an ordinary corset—when you wear it you appreciate how extraordinary it is for combining comfort and style.

We are pleased to assist in your selection.



1C92-2C92

Buy Millinery at Marting's

Every hat, shape and trimming at a reduced price. Come and take advantage of these low prices this week.

\$2.00 to \$2.50 values in Untrimmed Shapes 95c
\$3.50 to \$4.50 values in Untrimmed Shapes \$2.49
\$4.00 to \$5.00 values in Trimmed Hats for \$2.98
\$7.50 to \$9.00 values in Trimmed Hats \$5.00

Marting's

BE SURE TO VISIT OUR GIFT SOP ON THE THIRD FLOOR

Marting's

N. & W. Suffers \$200,000 Loss In Shop Blaze

Rouanoke, Va., November 27.—The shops, roundhouse, oil house, and other outbuildings of the Norfolk and Western Railroad at Shennandoah, Va., were destroyed by fire today. It is estimated the loss is \$200,000. Four locomotives and Western Railroad at Shennandoah, Va., were destroyed.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

With unbounded enthusiasm the George Edwards, 506 Waller street, or Mrs. Musser, 1325 Third street.

Section Four will meet Friday

HEADACHE FROM A COLD? LISTEN!

"Pape's Cold Compound" ends severe colds or grippe in few hours.

Your cold will break and all gripe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. It promptly opens clogged up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness. Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound" which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute same by telephoning Mrs. Stitt.

Section Two will meet at the church Tuesday to quilt and sell for the mince meat. Come and buy—the mince meat is home made and pure excellent. Those who cannot come to the church for mince meat can secure same by telephoning Mrs. Stitt.

afternoon at the home of Mrs. Shields, 2119 Seventh street.

The financial committee of the church will meet at the parsonage this (Monday) evening to prepare the budget for the coming year. Let every member of the committee be present.

The deacons of the church will hold an important meeting, Tuesday evening, at the church. Rev. Oakley has some important matters to present to the deacons and all should be present at 7 o'clock.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Loyal C. E. Society will be held at the church this (Monday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Business of importance.

Section Three will meet at the home of Mrs. F. W. Sheridan, 809 John street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Business of importance. Come.

Section Five will hold an important meeting at the home of Mrs. Griffith, on Fourth street, near Waller street, Friday afternoon. Let every member be present.

Don't forget the social to be given at the home of Mrs. Jacobs, 726 Seventh street, Tuesday afternoon, under the auspices of Section One. All ladies of the church cordially invited. A good social time is promised.

Thursday morning at 6 o'clock, the Loyal Christian Endeavors will hold a "sunrise" prayer meeting at the church, to which you are most cordially invited.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, Leader, Guy Davis. A live topic and a live leader. Come and help make the meeting an inspiring one.

Don't forget the Christmas sale to be held at the Distel furniture store, Seventh and Chillicothe streets, Thursday, December 9, under the auspices of the Loyal Daughters' class.

Womack Is Policeman

Albert Womack, of No. 1201 1/2 Twelfth street, has been appointed to one of the vacancies on the police force. He has been assigned to a night beat in the East End. Mr. Womack for the past two years, has been employed as a driver for Grocer James Good-paster.

HOW TO CURE A COLD

When you are so unfortunate as to catch cold, do not neglect it, or leave it to nature to cure unaided. An unchecked cough or cold is often the starting point of many a more serious and dangerous illness. As soon as you notice the first sign—hoarseness, irritation of the throat, or sneezing—purchase a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. This time-tried remedy is compounded of the purest medicines known to pharmacy, according to a doctor's prescription, and the fact that to date over 20,000,000 bottles have been sold is ample evidence of its efficacy. 25 cents a bottle at druggists or you can give it a trial free, by writing A. C. Meyer & Co., Baltimore, Md.

Carving Sets

Finest steel. Last a life-time. \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00.

Albert Zoellner

Jeweler Third and Chillicothe.

The Movies



Douglas Fairbanks in new Triangle—Fine Arts Feature, "Manhattan Madness."

Columbia Tonight

In the new Triangle feature, "Manhattan Madness," to be seen at the Columbia tonight, Douglas Fairbanks appears in a role different from any of the previous parts he has played since he made his screen debut.

He has appeared as an easterner in "The Lamb," "His Picture in the Papers," "The Habit of Happiness" and in "The Good Bad Man," and as a far westerner of mixed descent in "The Half-Breed." In "Manhattan Madness" the athletic star is of both east and west. Born and reared in New York, educated at an eastern college, he goes west after his graduation, becomes a cow puncher for sheer love of the outdoor life and eventually invests his money in a ranch.

After several years on the plains he returns to the east for a visit, finds life in Manhattan extremely tame and bores the members of his club nearly out of their senses by telling them what a dull hole they live in. The outcome is a wager in which one of the club members agrees to show the fabled is of the best. The play is a real thrill in Manhattan or lose \$5,000. The picture then reveals what happens to the young plainsman, who loses his life, but is well content because he has the thrill of his life, including the capture of a bride.

Fairbanks is equally at home in chaps and sombrero or "soup and fish." His gymnastic capabilities are called on to the utmost after he enters upon the adventure which follows the wager, and, despite some pretty tight squeezes, he never loses the "Fairbanks smile."

How the Neal Institute Cures the Drink Habit

The drink habit is like a disease. Some authorities say that it is a disease. In very rare cases it is possible to cure it by force of will power alone.

The only successful cure for the drink habit must assist nature to rid the system of the poison of alcohol and its effects, at the same time destroying permanently the desire for alcohol.

This is science plus good old-fashioned common sense. Hypodermic injections of narcotic drugs, even if they could be depended upon to rid the victim of the alcoholic habit, are too dangerous to use.

It would be folly to substitute a drug habit for the drink habit. It would be like stopping a child from biting his finger nails by pulling out his teeth, for drug habits are worse than drink.

The Neal Institute cures the drink habit in three days without the use of narcotic drugs in any form and without the use of hypodermic injections of any kind.

The Neal is one of the few Drink Cures in the world that never resorts to hypodermic injections.

At the Neal Institute only internal remedies are used—remedies that tone and strengthen the system while ridding it of all desire for alcohol.

The Neal Institute cures the drink habit in three days. Make them prove it.

For further information and booklet, write, call or phone the Neal Institute, 601 Maple Ave., Avondale, Cincinnati, O. Phone Avon 4920. Other Neal Institutes located at Columbus, Cleveland and Pittsburgh.



Miss Dolly: Please answer our question. We would like to know when a widow draws a soldier's pension and then marries again and her husband dies or they separate can she draw her first husband's pension?

WANT TO KNOW. I think not. When she marries a second time she ceases to be her first husband's widow.

Dear Miss Wise: I am a girl 19 and have been going with a boy for a long time. He is awful stubborn, sometimes when I go where he is he won't speak to me. He quit another girl for me. Do you think he cares for me?

L. M. He certainly does not care very much for you when he refuses to speak to you.

Dear Miss Wise: What length of time should a first and formal afternoon call occupy?

MRS. X. A first and formal afternoon call should occupy not less than fifteen minutes, nor more than half an hour.

Dear Miss Wise: What was the amount of indemnity paid by China to the United States after the



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Needs constant care and attention to keep it always soft, silky and youthful in appearance. If the blood does not feed the hair glands with oxygen, nitrogen, hydrogen, carbon and sulphur—the elements that compose all healthy hair—you must use

VOLA-VITA
VOLA-VITA supplies these elements to starved and dying hair. Thus it restores and keeps the youthful color, naturally, makes new hair grow and stops falling hair and dandruff.

VOLA-VITA contains no alcohol to falsify stimulate but eventually kill the hair roots.

Vola-Vita is sold and guaranteed by all good druggists and the Vola-Vita Mfg. Co., Chicago, Ill. and \$1.00 per bottle.

SEE WITH THE EYES OF YOUTH

Our Special Tonic Kryptok Glasses—the only invisible bifocal overcome the drawback of near and far-sightedness and restore the clear sharp vision of youth.

Kryptoks are the only bifocals without those annoying lines. Nobody but the wearer would ever guess—they were double vision lenses.

Examination free, all glasses guaranteed.

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Expert Watchmaker and Optician
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A COMFORTABLE MODEL
1850. Ladies' Yoke Apron.

This design is practical and desirable. The yoke is cut with the sleeve in one. Ample pockets trim the apron front. Lawn, gingham, seersucker, linene, drill, sateen, and alpaca are good for its development. The pattern is cut in 3 sizes: Small, Medium and Large. It requires 5 3/4 yards of 36-inch material for a Medium size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

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This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc. plain. Send to Pattern Department, Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

No. 1850. Size Age (for child)
Street and Number
Name
City State



The Modern Breakfast Cup

is served to all the family.

—no denying the children for fear of harming them

—no hesitation on the housewife's part lest it make her nervous.

—no doubt about the wisdom of a second cup for the husband for fear of disturbing his digestion.

This snappy flavored table drink, so popular nowadays, is

Instant Postum

Well worth trying by those who value health—
"There's a Reason."

The Kendall Avenue Mission Circle will meet this evening at the church.

Captain and Mrs. A. C. Thompson, Jr., who are here from Washington, D. C., visiting Mrs. A. C. Thompson, Sr., will spend a few days this week in Columbus with Captain Thompson's brother-in-law and sister, Supreme Judge and Mrs. Oscar W. Newman, and they will return here for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. John Kenrick has as guest her sister, Mrs. Laura Phelan, of Hyde Park, Cincinnati. Mrs. Kenrick and sister will spend the week-end with Mrs. Phelan's daughter, Mrs. E. B. Jansman, in Huntington, W. Va.

The Kendall Avenue Ladies' Aid Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Myrtle Sowers, where the afternoon will be spent in quilting. A sale will be held Wednesday afternoon at the East End Furniture store of Brand and Lawson.

Harold Schirraun, of 1412 Gallia street, who is attending the University of Cincinnati, preparatory to studying medicine, will be home Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving. He is well pleased with his college. The mid-term exams are over and he has made good grades in all studies. He also states that Cincinnati is unsurpassed for its hospital and clinical facilities. At present 70 pre-med students are registered at the University. The freshmen class of the medical college numbers 87.

Mrs. Salena Virginia Ernest, mother of Mr. Finis Ernest, of St. Louis, Mo., and Mr. William James Moore, a wealthy retired man of San Antonio, Texas, were married November 16th, at the home of Mrs. Ernest in Walco, Texas, where she spent a part of her time, and she lived also in Manitou, Colorado. They will reside for a time in a hotel in San Antonio until their beautiful bungalow is completed. The bride has visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi D. York in this city.

Mrs. H. S. Grimes and Mrs. Harry E. Taylor went to Chillicothe this morning to attend the funeral of a friend, Mrs. Mary Bliss, which took place this morning.

Miss Augusta Haldeman came home last Saturday from Cleveland and was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. Luns Haldeman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rardin entertained with an auto party Saturday afternoon, with supper at the Hartman House. Their guests were Mr. Arthur Tims and daughter, Louise, of Dover, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham.

Miss Garnet Sowards returned last night to her home in Greenup, Ky., after a short visit with Miss Mary Warner. Miss Sowards will come back the middle of the week to attend a dance here Wednesday evening.

Loretta Louise, the newly-born baby daughter of Grocer and Mrs. Hugh Radtke, of Second and Sixth streets, was baptized by Rev. J. E. McGurk at Holy Redeemer church Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs.

KEEP LOOKING YOUNG

It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

The secret of keeping young is to feel young—to do this you must watch your liver and bowels—there's no need of having a sallow complexion—dark rings under your eyes—pimples—a bilious look in your face—dull eyes with no sparkle. Your doctor will tell you ninety per cent of all sickness comes from inactive bowels and liver.

Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels, which he gave to his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for always effective. They bring about that exuberance of spirit, that natural buoyancy which should be enjoyed by everyone, by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities.

Any donations for the Home for Aged Women will be thankfully received. Anyone who has not been solicited can send their donations to the Home. Don't forget the old ladies at the Home.

Miss Eloise Hicks spent Saturday in Columbus, where she went to see the Ohio State-Northwestern University football game.

See Shoemaker's Advance Models for 1917. Has any of the patent boned corsets. SPIRELLA a specialty. 521 Market, Phone 657.

Mrs. Ellen Gentry, of San Benito, Texas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russell Becker on Grant street. Mrs. Gentry will go to Florida later to spend a part of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Shumway are entertaining at dinner this evening Mrs. F. G. Anderson, of Seattle, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Anderson.

Mrs. Clara Geer and daughter, Page, will go to Ashland to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mr. Wade S. Kennedy came home last night from a visit in Cincinnati, where he left Mrs. Kennedy and Miss Irene McGregor, who will come home this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brunny will go to Piquette to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Brunny's parents.

The Mizpah Church of the Central Presbyterian church will hold a bazaar all day Wednesday at the Levi Furniture store on Gallia street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stahler will entertain with a family dinner on Thanksgiving.

Mr. W. G. Williams, Mrs. E. J. Morgan and children, Martha and David, motored to Oak Hill Sunday to see Mrs. Morgan's new nephew, the new baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, which has been named "David."

Constant Lake, young son of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Lake, has been ill for the past few days at his home on Fourth street.

Miss Lucile Curtis, who has been visiting relatives in Ironton, arrived today to visit Mrs. Clarence Nodder until Wednesday, when she will go to her home in Amesville.

Mrs. Orin Dadds and daughter, Edith, of Radford, Va., who are visiting Mrs. Jennie Porter and other relatives and friends in Portsmouth, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nodder.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Bering and daughter, Katherine Ann, of Offshore street, motored to Waverly, Sunday, and spent the day there with relatives.

Miss Bertha Stuck has returned to her home in Dayton after a six weeks' visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Siler, of Fourth street.

Mrs. L. W. Goss, of Cincinnati, is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Louise Burke, until after Thanksgiving, and will attend the Comell-Locher wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Chase entertained informally last evening at their home on Seventh street in honor of Mr. Jack Morgan and Mr. Lee Burke.

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

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Mrs. S. B. Moorhead and Miss Myrtle Cunningham were guests of Mrs. Roy Gable of Long Meadow Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Finney of Main street had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lester L. Finney and sons Dick and Jack of Portsmouth and Mrs. Louis Snyder of Wheelersburg.

Thanksgiving Suit Sale

A recent purchase enables us to offer some very remarkable suit values of the better grades, and we have also included all of our best models, one of a kind here and there, thus giving you a splendid selection to pick from.

Among These Suits



You will find Velour Cheeks, Gabardines, Broadcloth, Poplins, Pongee Twills, not a suit in the lot worth less than \$25 and a great many at \$30 and \$32.50. Choice Tuesday and Wednesday, including stouts up to size 55 **\$18.50**

THANKSGIVING SALE OF WAISTS, BLOUSES, RIBBONS

COLLARS

Extra special Crepe de Chine and Tub Silk Waists that usually retail at \$2.50 and \$2.98. Special **\$1.98**
Extra special Wash Waists of various dark materials or all white, all the newest creations in waistdom. Values up to \$1.75. Choice **98c**
A special lot of Lace and Georgette Crepe Waists, also plaid Taffeta Waists that have been selling up to \$5. Special **\$3.50**

EXTRA SPECIAL!

Large silk Crepe de Chine and Georgette crepe collars at **75 and 98c**
Worth \$1.00 and \$1.50. See them in window.
One hundred pieces of extra fine Taffeta Ribbons in plain shades, plaids and stripes, sold from 25c to 85c per yard. Choice on **19c** table, per yard

Grand Opera The ATLAS CO. Fourth and Chillicothe
House Site
Blue Coupon Stamp Books redeemed same as cash.

Eczema Is Conquered

Greasy scales and ointments should not be applied if good clear skin is wanted. From any druggist for 25c or \$1.00 for extra large size, get a bottle of Zemo. When applied as directed, it effectively removes eczema, quickly stops itching, and heals skin troubles, also sores, burns, wounds and chafing. It penetrates, cleanses and soothes. Zemo is a clean, dependable and inexpensive, penetrating, antiseptic liquid. Try it, as we believe nothing you have ever used is as effective and satisfying.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

Mrs. Nellie Connell came home last night from Cincinnati, where she spent a week with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Taggart, who recently moved there.

Mrs. E. G. Nuve, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Henry Amberg, left Saturday for Columbus to spend Sunday with her brother, Mr. Preston Curtis, and from there will go to Cleveland to visit several weeks with her daughter before going home to San Diego, Cal.

The women of the German Evangelical church will hold their annual Thanksgiving sale Tuesday. There will be aprons, fancy work, bread, pie and cake on sale beginning at 9 o'clock. Lunch will be served from 3 till 7 o'clock.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 12th and Main.

The Y. W. C. A. lunch menu for Tuesday will be: Roast beef, gravy, sweet potatoes, apple sauce, bread and butter, gingerbread and cheese, tea and coffee, all for 15 cents. Come and try it.

Mrs. James W. Bannion will have a family dinner Thanksgiving, when there will be gathered about her Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bannion and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Bannion and children, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bannion, Jr., and children, Miss Charlotte Bannion and Mrs. Josephine Murlin, of Ann Arbor, Mich., sister of Mrs. Bannion.

Mrs. Charles Hauck and daughter, Edna, came home last night from Cincinnati, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. William Graf, at Hyde Park. Miss Lena Hauck will remain in Cincinnati until Wednesday.

Miss Dollie Blomeyer came home last night after visiting relatives in Cleveland, and was accompanied home by Mrs. Carl Lorenz, who came to attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Ora Locher, and Mr. Robert Connell. Miss Marjorie Jenkins will come tonight from Cleveland after visiting a day with friends in Delaware, and Miss Erna Jenkins will arrive tomorrow from Delaware.

Grandmother Knew

There Was Nothing So Good for Congestion and Colds as Mustard

But the old-fashioned mustard-plaster burned and blistered while it acted. You can now get the relief and help for mustard plasters gave, without the blister and without the labor.

Musteroil does it. It is a clean white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It is scientifically prepared, so that it works wonders, and it does not blister the tenderest skin.

Just massage Musteroil in with the finger tips gently. See how quickly it brings relief—how speedily the pain disappears!

Use Musteroil for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bite, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

25c and 50c jars, hospital size, \$2.00

WHEELERSBURG

Rev. John Van Gorder of Portsmouth who has been conducting revival meetings at the Baptist church here baptized the following:

HOW TO GAIN FLESH
Remarkable Statement of a Woman who was Nothing But Skin and Bones

Laugh and grow gut is a home-ly saying, but Mrs. Elizabeth L. Morris, of Hammond, La., tells of a more reliable method. She says: "I cannot say enough in praise of Vinol, for it saved my life. I was weak, nervous, run-down, could not sleep, was unfit for work and was nothing but skin and bones. Three doctors had all failed to help me. One day I saw Vinol advertised, took courage and bought a bottle, and it soon made me feel better. I continued its use and such a change I have regained my strength, flesh and health, am perfectly well, and the doctor was surprised to see such a change in me in such a short time." Elizabeth Morris, Hammond, La.

The reason Vinol proved such a wonderful strength creator in Mrs. Morris' case was because of the beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptones, and glycerophosphates, combined in a pure native tonic wine, which makes Vinol a most wonderful tonic.

Frank Amann, Druggist, The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Portsmouth, also at the leading drug store in all Ohio towns.

ASK FOR and GET HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL MALTED MILK
Cheap substitutes cost YOU same price.

HERE IS A NEW STUNT
Tuesday of each week we will place in our window an address selected at random from the city directory.

To the lady of the house living at this address, we will present Free of charge, a substantial Prize, which will also be displayed in our window.

Flood & Blate's drug store. Telephone No. 93.

THANKSGIVING COOD THINGS TO EAT
Dressed turkeys and chickens, fresh rabbits, fresh oysters, celery, cranberries, lettuce, oranges, bananas, nuts and candies, canned peans, corn and tomatoes, cheese, pickles, cakes, crackers and bread. Fresh butter. Phone us your grocery orders.

J. J. BRUSHART, The Cash Grocer.

The Baldwin Piano
Grand Prix, Paris, 1900
The Grand Prize, St. Louis 1904
FLOYD E. STEARNS, Mgr.
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1027 Fourth Street
35 Music Rolls with privilege of exchange given with piano

LEET LUMBER PLANT IS TO BE REVAMPED

The H. Leet Lumber company, one of the largest concerns of its kind in Southern Ohio, will materially increase its output and plant, according to an announcement made Monday by Albert Graf, vice-president.

The proposed new buildings and the changes in the arrangements of the machinery will entail an expenditure of several thousand dollars and will increase the output of this plant about forty percent. Work on the new additions and the installation of new machinery is to be started shortly after the holidays.

Two new additions to the present plant, corner of Washington and Ninth streets, are to be of brick and two stories in height. The first addition is to be a machinery building and will be 25 by 115 feet in size. Heavy machinery will be installed on the ground floor and light machinery on the second floor. A three drum sander will be added to the equipment.

The second building will be 40 by 115 and will be used as a storage.

The present system of power transmission is to be eliminated and the individual motor installed. The machinery in the present building is to be re-arranged.

The boiler and engine will be moved to a new building set apart from the rest of the plant and a heavy generator installed to generate the current for the motors. The steam from the engine will also operate the lumber kilns and furnish heat for the buildings in the winter time.

The main entrance to the plant will be on Washington street, near Ninth street.

The annual output of The Leet Lumber company is about 8,000,000 feet.

At present forty men are employed by the company. The new improvements will not add to the number of men employed, but will add slightly to the payroll.

Wesley Hammock Is Under Arrest

Wesley Hammock, an East End man who left an affidavit at Squire John W. Byron's office Saturday morning, charging Police Captain Roma Walker with assaulting his son, John Hammock, after arresting him for alleged stealing hides recently, was himself arrested late Saturday night on a charge of drunkenness.

Officer William Osborn arrested Hammock at the George Koehr saloon on New Eighth street. Hammock pleaded not guilty to the charge in police court Monday morning and Mayor Kaps reserved judgment until Monday evening, when he will question Officer Osborn in order to get the facts concerning the arrest.

Smoke Awakes Family, House Is Destroyed

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed a two-story frame dwelling, occupied by Charles Canary, in Martinsburg, back of Sciotoville, Sunday morning at three o'clock.

Mrs. Canary was awakened by smoke pouring into her bedroom. She quickly aroused her husband who took their two children from an adjoining bedroom to safety. The fire was in another upstairs bedroom occupied by Will Donalds, brother of Mrs. Canary. He was nearly overcome by smoke when awakened by Mr. Canary, who had some trouble in arousing him and acquainting him of the peril he faced.

The fire in the house was extinguished when the family retired early Saturday evening. The furniture on the second floor was destroyed, but all household furnishings on the first floor were carried to places of safety. Very few neighbors could be aroused at the early hour and no effort was made to save the burning home, which was reduced to ashes in an hour, the brick chimney only standing to mark the site of the home.

The loss is partially covered by \$1,700 insurance which James Johnson, of Long Meadow, Sciotoville, carried on the house.

The Hazlebeck company will insure you. 819 Gallia St. adv

THE DOCTOR TOLD HIS PATIENT TO TRY NERV-WORTH

She Had Tested Nearly Everything Else—Nerv-Worth Made Her Over

Among the many extraordinary tributes paid to his rare family nerve tonic, the following stands in the front rank:

"About a year ago I commenced feeling badly and steadily grew worse. My nervous system seemed exhausted, felt tired all the time, was hardly able to do my work and had no appetite. I could sleep very little at night and suffered pain in my back, towards the left side.

"My doctor finally told me, 'If I had asked him if it would be all right to go ahead and try Nerv-Worth, as my neighbors all wanted me to try it, several of them stating they had taken it with wonderful results.

"I got a bottle, commenced taking it, and began to feel better at once. I took two bottles and can truthfully say they made a new woman of me.

"ALL MY ACHES AND PAINS ARE GONE.

"I sleep fine, digestion good, and feel fine in every way, thanks to this wonderful remedy. I cannot say too much in praise of it and will gladly recommend it to my friends."

(Signed) "LAURA MOBLEY,"

824 14th St., West Huntington. Your dollar back at the Fisher and Streich Pharmacy, Portsmouth, if Nerv-Worth does not benefit YOU.

Father Goebel Will Assist

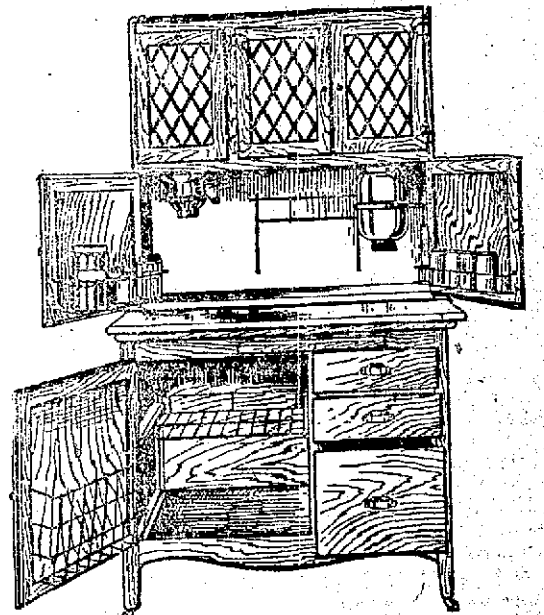
Rev. Father T. A. Goebel held mass a half hour earlier than usual at St. Mary's church Monday morning to enable him to catch a train for Wheelersburg, where he will assist in the Devotion of the Forty Hours at the Catholic church there.

First quality work at reasonable prices. Brehmer, the Painter.

Xmas Present! "You Can't Beat It"

You cannot buy a more useful piece of furniture, it saves time, worry and makes less work, you can afford it.

\$1.00
Will Put It In
Your House and
\$1.00
Per Week



Call and see our large selection of Rockers and other articles which will make very handsome and useful Xmas presents.

Buy early, while selections are good. We will furnish your home for less money and guarantee satisfaction. Our motto is to please.

David A. Alsbaugh

530-532 SECOND STREET

Local Men In Peril As Autos Collide

A Studebaker touring car belonging to O. D. Chinn, New Boston grocer, and the Overland touring car belonging to O. P. Doty, of Hocking, met head-on Saturday evening at 5:30 o'clock, near the underground crossing three miles below Hanging Rock, the Chinn car being driven toward home by Lonie Chinn. Mr. Doty was also on his way home to Hanging Rock.

In the Chinn car were Lonie Chinn, Olive and Lillian Chinn, Gollie and Gwendolyn O'Neal and the Mary Tuenger, who had witnessed the P. H. S.-I. H. S. football game in Ironton.

A wagon was on the road in front of Chinn, and according to his story Mr. Doty had stopped and he started to go around the wagon when Mr. Doty suddenly started, the two machines hitting head-on. Ivan Riley, garage man of Ironton, happened along and took the local young people to Ironton, where they boarded an N. & W. train for home.

Both machines received practically the same damages, the windshield, front axles bent, fenders broken and radiators damaged. Cars were taken to Ironton garages for repairs. Luckily no one was injured, except Lonie Chinn, who received bruises to his back.

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Lands Fine Post

How a well-known young former Portsmouth physician is steadily advancing in his profession is told in the following from Sunday's Cincinnati Enquirer:

"Dr. J. Edward Pirrung, 1218 Walnut street, is to be the new Assistant Police and Fire Surgeon.

"Graduating from the Miami Medical College in 1905, Dr. Pirrung has won a prominent place in the medical fraternity. He was lecturer at the Miami Medical College in 1907, when the school became a part of the Medical College of the University of Cincinnati. He has held

the post of Lecturer on Surgery, Fractures and Dislocations in the college since that time.

"Dr. Pirrung is surgeon at Gann Sanitarium Hospital, President of the medical alumni of the University of Cincinnati, member of the Executive Councils of University Alumni, Vice President of the Academy of Cincinnati, a fellow in the American College of Surgeons and senatorial representative of the College of Surgeons, State of Ohio.

"In his studies abroad he took post-graduate work in surgery in Paris and in Bern, Switzerland."

Mayor Holds Little "Fining Bee" Monday

A steelworker giving the name of Newt McCann was arrested by Officer Dobbins for creating a disturbance on Twelfth street near Railroad Sunday afternoon.

McCann was fined \$10 in police court Monday, but half of the fine was suspended pending good behavior. A man giving the name of Frank Craycraft was fined \$10 for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

Steve Arnold, who was drunk at the N. & W. depot, was fined \$5. It was Vivian Bayless' first appearance before the present mayor, and he was given a \$5 suspended fine for intoxication. A carpenter giving the name of C. W. Boyd, who was charged with vagrancy, or begging on the streets, was dismissed.

Sam Bradshaw was fined \$10 for drunkenness, as it was his second offense in twenty-four hours. George Walker was the name given by a stranger who staggered into the Washington hotel lobby Saturday night and was arrested. He was fined \$5.

Cases set for hearing Monday

WILL DANCE TONIGHT

The Jr. O. U. A. M. band will give a social and dance in the Macabee hall, Sixth and Chillicothe streets, tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The social affair is given for the benefit of the band. The Jr. O. U. A. M. Band will render a concert and the Junior Trio will furnish the music for the dancers.

Will Give Recital

Members of the First Presbyterian church are promised a musical treat next Sunday evening, when Nelson Woodson, chorister of the First Presbyterian church, Ashland, Ky., who is here instructing the Elk choir, will give an organ recital. Besides Mr. Woodson's special numbers there will be special music by the church choir and soloists.

Fisher & Streich's Marigold Cream soothes and softens the chapped and irritated skin, 10 and 25c.

Will Discuss "Pork"

The directors of the board of trade will hold a special meeting Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, Masonic Temple, for the purpose of discussing the thirteenth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which is to be held at Washington, D. C., December 6, 7 and 8.

R. E. Thomas, secretary, stated Monday that one of the main topics discussed at this meeting would be "What do you know about 'Pork'?"

One of the officers of the congress in discussing this

K Boys Meet Tonight

Sergeant Larsen, instructor of company K, O. N. G., Captain W. J. Keyes announced Monday. All officers and privates are requested to attend the meeting this evening. Inspection will be held some time in January.

Piloted Over "Hot Sands"

Dr. S. P. Fetter, William E. Clayton, W. S. Kennedy, William H. McCleary and Howard K. Moore were among the thirty-six candidates who comprised the Caravan of Nov-

Lucasville To Get Bank? To Vote On Improvements

Several business men from Adams county visited Lucasville last week with a view of establishing a bank in that village, it was learned Monday.

Information concerning suitable buildings for rent, the annual yield of corn on the surrounding farms, the amount of stock raised and the value of the dairy products shipped, was collected by these men.

Views regarding proposed improvements to the St. Mary's school property and the Sisters' home were expressed by members at a congregational meeting held in the school hall Sunday morning.

Rev. T. A. Goebel presided at the meeting, which was well attended. The free and open discussion developed some very interesting points and deep interest seemed to be displayed by everybody present.

A vote on the proposed improvements will be taken next Sunday morning and upon its result the pastor and wardens will be guided in making their recommendation to the bishop.

Negro Beats Wife

Sergeant John Smith responded to a hurry call and arrested Hardy Thomas, a negro, for beating up his wife with a wooden stove poker at their home, No. 1213 Fourteenth street, Sunday afternoon.

The woman was bleeding profusely from a half-dozen wounds when the officer reached the home. Thomas himself had little to say in explanation of his act, further than to accuse his wife of being too friendly with other men. He was locked up at the city prison and will be given a hearing in court Monday evening.

Small Bone Broken

James Welch, a back field man on the Chillicothe football team, who played the Shamrocks on Millbrook gridiron Sunday afternoon, had his shoulder injured in the game. A small bone on the point of his right shoulder was broken and the muscles and ligaments were badly sprained. Dr. A. B. Mills, of New Boston, gave him temporary relief and he will have the shoulder X-rayed by his family physician in Chillicothe.

question said: "But there has been such a vast amount of loose talk on the subject that the accent is to be placed on the 'Know'. No one has yet been found who will admit that there is any 'Pork' in his own pet project; it is always somewhere else and usually a long ways off. So, if a man from Maine criticizes a project in California, or a man from Minnesota jumps on a waterway in Texas, he will be expected to tell just how he comes to know so much about things two or three thousand miles away from where he lives."



PRaises LOUD,
FROM A CROWD
OF THE PRETTIEST LASSES;
FOR OUR CREAM,
LIKE A DREAM;
OR OLD SODA IN GLASSES.

George Freund

DRUGGIST
Gallia and Offene Streets

Failed To Find Frowler

Officers Goings, Lewis and Osborn were dispatched to the Floyd Wells home at No. 1619 Fifth street late Sunday night to search for a prowler, but he had made a successful get-away.

Killed 32 Rabbits

Carl P. Bauer, deputy county recorder and Fred Becker returned Saturday evening from South Webster where they spent two days hunting. They killed 32 rabbits.

A Doctor's Prescription

For coughs and colds. Unless treated in time, a cough, cold or sore throat is very apt to develop into something more serious. At the first symptoms, get a 25c bottle of

DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP
Gives relief when all others fail. The standard remedy. Over 20 million bottles sold.
FREE TEST Write to A. C. Meyer & Co., Marion Paper, Baltimore, Md.

Are You A Three-Fifty Man?

When leather was much cheaper than now I contracted for a big lot of shoes to be delivered this fall. I have these shoes now and I can truthfully say they are great values. In fact, they are worth more money, but I bought them to sell for THREE FIFTY and that's the price.

I can give you these on the popular last, straight last or high toe last, Blucher or Lace, Gun Metal or Kid leather.

Frank J. Baker



Waterproof

The Sleepless Shoeman

Distance Shrinks to Nearness
Distance today is no barrier to business. Minutes have replaced miles.

WESTERN UNION
Day Letters and Night Letters
expand the limits of your selling territory to the margins of the seas. Wherever Western Union goes, business may be had at little cost.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO.

Members of the First Presbyterian church are promised a musical treat next Sunday evening, when Nelson Woodson, chorister of the First Presbyterian church, Ashland, Ky., who is here instructing the Elk choir, will give an organ recital. Besides Mr. Woodson's special numbers there will be special music by the church choir and soloists.

Fisher & Streich's Marigold Cream soothes and softens the chapped and irritated skin, 10 and 25c.

A FORCED PLUNGE



Roosevelt has reiterated his determination to say nothing for six months. If he keeps to it the period will seem short enough, but, oh, how happy.

Portsmouth is getting to be cosmopolitan and also some other things. If her measure is to be taken from recorded affairs and disorders.

Billy Sunday says he is going to chase the devil out of Boston. Thinking it is Billy that says it, it may be looked upon as a most modest declaration.

As it turns out New York wasn't needed, but all the same it would have been mighty comforting to have her along in good company.

It is all settled now, but we haven't reference to that Sunset avenue matter, to be sure.

We haven't a thing to say about the fall of Monastir, but we'll not be a bit surprised to learn tomorrow that there is no such place on the map.

The inmates of the state's institutions are not to dine on Thanksgiving turkey. Is that because the state can't pay the price or our good young governor, soon to be such no longer forever, wants to make a showing at retrenchment?

Portsmouth is to have another modern school house. That will give her an equipment in that line second to none other.

This state doesn't need new laws, it needs about a million cumbersome and noxious ones repealed. Still, nevertheless and notwithstanding, we waver our old summer cap a thousand bills will be introduced at the next session of the legislature.

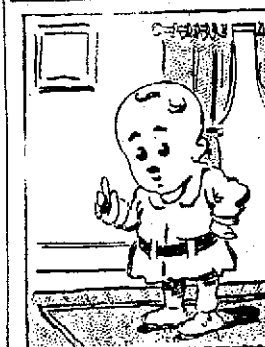
The banks are heaping up money. First time in the history of the country the people had more money than they knew what to do with. Why they can't even spend it all on automobiles.

The eighteen thousand cotton mill operatives at Lowell get a wage raise. Everything going up these days, except the thermometer and the Ohio.

A high flyer never meets riches on the way, though they are said to take unto themselves wings.

Evening dress has been barred from French places of amusement during the war. There are some American sufferers from the same ailment who would welcome a permanent decree of this kind in the United States.—Springfield (Ohio) Sun.

Koot-Poot



(By J. F. D. and Shonk)
Of all the faults or pains or ails
The worst is biting finger nails.
People watch you—hear them
say,
"You'll bite your toe nails too
some day."
So quit this habit, let them grow,
If you're a Koot Poot make it
show.

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E. E. Johnson
Visits Here

E. E. Johnson, former chief clerk in the local E. & O. railroad office, now agent for that company at Athens, spent Sunday with friends in Portsmouth. Mr. Johnson is well-pleased with his new surroundings at Athens.

Joins Club
O. O. Albrecht, a state examiner who has many friends in Portsmouth, and whose headquarters are in Cincinnati, has just joined the Duckworth Club of the Queen City.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.
O-O-MEINTYRE.

New York, Nov. 27.—There is a young man on Washington Square who has had a big place in his heart for a certain girl and often he day-dreamed, always playing the romantic lead. And then the other day he drew up to her home in a purring limousine.

She greeted him radiantly and they sped over the hill and far away from the city into the distant mountains. They talked and speculated on the distant future for hours and it was dark when they glided, on high, down Fifth avenue. The girl snuggled close to him and it was a sweet, religious silence.

It was the silence that comes before the most momentous moment in life. He was just about to whisper the all-important question when a low, uncultured voice smote his ear and punctured his reverie.

"Hey, you! Whatta ye doin? Goin' mad?" said the voice. "Where's your lights? And whatta you drivin' on the wrong side for? You just missed hittin' three people. Get into court at 10 in the morning."

Zip! went the dreams of the great home-making. They completed their journey in silence. He was in a merry mess. It was a new job and his boss was away in the country and against orders and without permission he had borrowed the car.

All the big hotel men were in town last week to attend the national convention. They were given the key to the city by the mayor and wherever they went they were warmly welcomed.

"I have been meeting you gentlemen at \$3 a day and up for years," said the mayor, "and I want you to feel at home in New York." The out-of-town visitors were very much impressed with the way all of the New York hotels have made dancing a part of hotel service.

Many of them said they were going right back home and put in dancing floors. Speeches of welcome were also made by John Mck. Bowman, George Boldt, Copeland Townsend and the famous Oscar.

It is a rough life for the insurance agent these days. The American companies have grown more and more strict in their examinations. So many folk are being rejected that

a group of New Yorkers are planning a company for Unsafe Risks. It is said that it will provide a way to corner the chronic insurance dodgers. The chronic insurance dodger will find it useless to plead that his grandfather died of rickets in his infancy and that he has a lesion of the heart and an uncontrollable tendency to walk on railroad tracks.

"Just the man," the insurance agent will coo. Please sign on the dotted lines." The men who are urging the company for Unsafe Risks declare that many of the men declared unfit outline those declared by doctors to be safe risks. In other words they want to take a chance and gamble against the doctor's prognostications.

In a famed Beau Palace on Broadway where the waiters deal 'em off the arm an absent-minded gentleman from out of town wandered the other afternoon. When he started out the cashier called him to the cage.

"Tryin' to slip out without payin' your check, eh?" he inquired. "I've had nothing to eat. I just wandered in here. I don't know what made me. I guess I'm just absent-minded."

"Yes, I guess you are. I'll just give you an absent treatment, too, and he sent for a cop. The cop came, heard the man's story, and when the manager and cashier protested against letting him go they were arrested for disorderly conduct.

The dazed man went out and remarked that it was strange what a rumprus you could cause in New York by going in a wrong door.

FORGET YOUR ACHES
Stiff knees, aching limbs, lame back make life a burden. If you suffer from rheumatism, gout, lumbago, neuralgia, get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply; it penetrates without rubbing and soothes the tender flesh. Cleaner and more effective than musky ointments or poultices. For strains or sprains, sore muscles or wrenched ligaments resulting from strenuous exercise, Sloan's Liniment gives quick relief. Keep it on hand for emergencies. At your Druggist, 25c.

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Try it after shaving, not sticky nor greasy.

The skin absorbs it all.

Price 10 and 25c

NOTICE
To All Gas Consumers

When using a gas range, if the flame blackens the utensil, it is because the burners need cleaning and adjusting. If the flame in the heating stove is yellow, it is due to the same cause.

If you are having any of these troubles, notify us, and we will have a man call and adjust your stove.

The Portsmouth Gas Co.

NEW PATTERNS
Have Arrived
An expert tailor at your service
McGarry, THE TAILOR, 821 GALLIA



Predestination
Somewhere upon a shelf now lies

A shirt that's just about my size, And twined around a button twice

There is a tag that shows the price. I do not know whose hands have toiled

Upon this shirt; whose fingers soiled The calico of which it's made, Nor how much for the work was paid.

I cannot with assurance say If it is modest, loud or gay, 'Tis one of thousands of its kind That wait some loving eye to find there,

And this one shirt, upon a shelf, That I might never buy myself, Is destined mine at last to be And hang upon our Christmas tree.

Somewhere to catch a friendly eye Within a store there hangs a tie; And, somehow now, I live in dread,

This piece of neckwear's fiery red. Thousands will see it flaunting there, But only one will count it fair; Yes, only one will count it fine, And she will be a friend of mine. I cannot tell just what she'll see In it to make her think of me, But once she looks upon that tie To me her gentle thoughts will fly.

Though she has never seen me wear A thing like that, she will not care. On Christmas Day, by every sign, That tie's predestined to be mine.

Somewhere there lies a pretty box That holds suspenders, scarf and socks, And oh, I shudder when I think The color scheme of them is pink; Because I know on Christmas Day That outfit's bound to come my way.

I am sure as I can be That certain box will fall to me. Though many will wish their beauty view Those pink forget-me-nots or blue, Surpassing all that ever bloomed, 'To be my Christmas gift are doomed.

In fancy now I plainly see The gifts that fate selects for me —Detroit Free Press.

Went With The Ticket
A colored auntie was taking her first ride on a fast train when it jumped the track and plumed headlong into the ditch. After the crash "auntie" picked herself up and began munching a chicken wing she had brought along for sustenance. The conductor hurried up to ascertain the damage.

"Were you hurt in the smash-up?" he asked excitedly.

"Law, no!" she replied in astonishment. "Wuz there a mashup? I to't rese yere comustifications went right along wif de ticket."—Argonaut.

Of Course
"My friend, the glazier, has a bad life."

"Why shouldn't it be? Isn't it full of panes."—Baltimore American.

No Cause For Worry
Mrs. De Style—Oh, doctor, you must do something to get me on my feet. This is my "at home" day.

Doctor—Don't worry, madam. You'll be at home all right.—Boston Transcript.

The Result
The tall, handsome policeman yonder does not seem to be doing much."

"Indeed, he is. He is arresting attention."—Baltimore American.

Strictly Temperate
He—Let's go out and have a tete-a-tete.

She—All right, but don't let 'em make mine too strong.—Baltimore American.

The Test
"I suppose when you went out in your touring car, you felt it was a turning point in your career."

"It was. My wife turned pale and the car turned turtle."—Baltimore American.

Natural Theory
"I see where the captain of the Detuschland says one time she stood on her head. Why did she do that?"

"I suppose for divers reasons."

Liked Big Game
Sportsman (wishing for fresh fields to conquer)—I should like to try my hand at big game.

Fair Ignoramus—Yes, I suppose you find it very hard to hit these little birds?—Tit-Bits.

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THERE IS NOTHING IN IT

There be scientists who maintain there is something in heredity, yes, they go further and maintain a human being is born not only to certain predilections, but actually committed to certain course and deed.

That theory has striking support in the case of a Chicago youth, unfolded in Milwaukee's criminal court, Friday. This lad, an orphan of 19, has received the best possible moral training, being the ward of a good and learned priest. He was a prodigy, a genius in chemicals, inventing processes for making dyes of a quality superior to any the world now knows. A short time ago he was given a contract for a salary of \$10,000 a year, a bonus of as much, if he could produce by his processes a certain quantity in a given time and to all that a third interest in a capitalized business of \$50,000. Every condition he almost at once demonstrated his ability to meet. But an opportunity presented itself to him to steal \$10,000 from the man, who had faith enough in his ability to give his great opportunity, and he stole. Think of that, in spite of all his training and teaching, throwing away his future and a fabulous fortune for a paltry \$10,000. Doesn't it look like he was just a natural born thief and couldn't help it?

Yes, it does, but even if it be the case, it would not be well to accept it. For there is no more false and dangerous doctrine, fatal to the individual and injurious to society than "I couldn't help it." Fundamentally, there is no weakness that there is not strength to resist, especially in this so when youth upward the individual has been taught the difference between vice and virtue. And in this instance related we have but a case seemingly to the contrary. In his defense they will begin to look for a dishonesty strain in his ancestry. Mayhap, they will find it, as all ancestry is said to have been robbers and highwaymen at one time or another, and then they will exultantly exclaim: "Ah, didn't we tell you so?" Sounds reasonable, but listen: You have heard that excuse, got it from his father, a thousand times, but did you ever notice any noise made about a man getting his honesty from his forebears? In court they never say a word, the rules of evidence will not so much as permit, to the effect that an accused is all right, because his father and mother before him were all right. Sometimes they do attempt to prove the prisoner was of good repute, but frequently no mercy for dead or living is present in the attempt to establish defense through showing his people were bad before him. One result is neither more natural, nor common than the other.

NOW IS THE TIME

We owe an apology to someone, we know not whom.

During the campaign there was a suspicious amount of talk that investigation of frauds and other illegal incidents of elections. The authority that put the rumors thereof afoot was never revealed itself and it was quite natural to assume they were mere "bluffs." However, this appears not to be the case. It is known federal officials and agents have been exceedingly busy, both preceding and succeeding election day, and rather reliable reports are abroad that big batches of indictments will be returned all over the country.

As has been said before this is a most auspicious time to expose and penalize election frauds and irregularities, if any there have been. In the present temper of the public mind, conviction on a proper showing of guilt is more probable, and there is less likelihood of prosecutions taking on a solely partisan cast. In truth, if we may believe these same rumors, the department of justice has been playing no favorites in the investigations it has been making, and politicians and offenders of all sorts of political persuasions will be called on to more than explain their conduct, they'll have to show it hasn't been at all as the evidence collected shows.

The new dime is threatened with retirement because the designer cleverly tucked his initial into the neck of the Goddess and this ruse was not discovered until the dies were cast and a large quantity of the pieces minted. It is singular the discovery was not made sooner, but this instance is not the first of the kind in the country's coinage experience.

Looking squarely at West Virginia we will say the politicians of that state dare do anything they can do, and what is more get away with it. Both the law courts and the court of public opinion in West Virginia seem sadly awry.

It is in part accounted for. Jeannette Rankin, the female congressman from Montana, hails from the vicinity of a Portsmouth—the New Hampshire one.

All we could wish for the future of the Peerless so long as we shall be given to peregrinate in her midst is that she may fill up additions quite as rapidly and numerously as they are being laid out.

And once more we rise to remark that it is some weather for the season, or any season or clime for that matter.

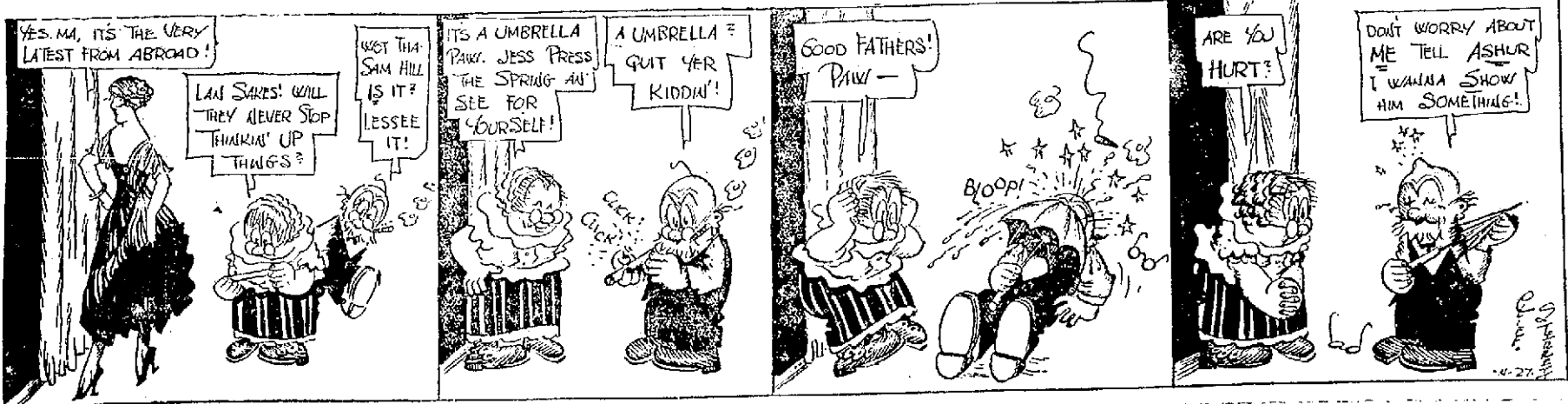
Another reason why we should build more brick roads. Lime-stone has gone up.

Can't make the late Candidate Hughes believe, along with about six million others, 13 isn't an unlucky number. That was the number of the ballot he cast on that fatal November 7.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Pa'll Take Twice the Punishment to Give Half of It to Ashur!

By CLIFF STERRETT



U-BOATS MENACE ATLANTIC SHIPPING NEAR U. S. SHORES

WARNING OF APPROACH TO ATLANTIC COAST OF GERMAN SUBS ISSUED BY BRITISH WARSHIP

New York, Nov. 27.—Appro-
hension is felt in shipping circles
here in view of the large number
of passengers and freight steam-
ships nearing this port and the
reported proximity of German
submarines. Rumors of several
days to the effect that two Ger-
man submarines have broken
through the Allied cordon and
were on their way to the Atlantic
coast received official recognition
in the general warning sent out
last night by the British cruiser
Lancaster.

The warship, stationed 15 miles
southeast of Sandy Hook, cau-
tioned all steamships flying the
days of the entente allies to be-
ware of hostile submarines on this
side of the Atlantic. The British
warship said: "German subma-
rines may be met anywhere in the
Atlantic, especially west of sixty
degrees west. Show no unnece-
ssary lights. Avoid all trade
routes and converging points."

Not since the U-53 entered New-
port Harbor, October 7, and on
the following day sank several
British merchant vessels has there
been so much uneasiness in na-
tional circles. It is believed that
the merchant vessels of the Allies
now loading in this port will not
venture out until the British gov-
ernment gives assurances that
the seas are clear and the danger
remote.

Among the steamships belong-
ing to the allied countries due to
arrive this week are the Cunard
line steamers Laconia and Pan-
ama with passengers from Liv-
erpool and London respectively.
The anchor liner Tuscania, from

VILLA FORCES WAY INTO STREETS OF CHIHUAHUA BUT IS FINALLY DRIVEN OUT

Juarez, Mexico, Nov. 27.—The
final result of the fighting be-
tween the defacto government
forces defending Chihuahua City
and Francisco Villa's bandit army
was unknown at the America
border early today. Wire com-
munication between Chihuahua
City and Juarez, broken presu-
mably by bandits Saturday, had
not been restored. Carranza of-
ficials here express the conviction
that Villa's efforts, to take the
city had been defeated although
the last news received directly
from the battlefield indicated that
the bandits during fighting Sat-
urday carried the conflict into the

HOUSEHOLD EMBARGO ON EGGS INAUGURATED IN NEW YORK BY WOMEN & OFFICIALS

BODY OF EMPEROR LYING IN STATE

New York, Nov. 27.—Co-op-
erative action by American house-
wives to combat food speculators
in an effort to reduce the price of
the necessities of life was indi-
cated in the household embargo
on eggs inaugurated here today.
The movement has the endorse-
ment of the National Housewives'
League and of John J. Dillon,
commissioner of foods and mar-
kets, and Joseph Hartigan, com-
missioner of weights and meas-
ures, representing the city.
Wholesale and retail dealers also
have given the proposal their
approval as the only practical
method of defeating the specu-
lators.

This embargo is said to be the
first one of its kind which has
had the support of dealers. In-
fact, it is stated that it was sug-
gested by a representative of one
of the largest grocery firms in the
city. A meeting of presidents of
all the retail grocers associations
has been called for next Wednes-
day to work out a plan of co-op-
eration of the public and retail
dealers to strike speculators in
eggs and later to attack specu-
lation in other foodstuffs.

Reports from other cities indi-
cate that the movement is already
widespread. In Boston the Typo-
graphical Union has adopted res-
olutions urging its members to
refuse to buy Thanksgiving tur-
keys at any price and to use as
little butter and eggs as possible.
Representatives from several
socialistic organizations and con-
sumers' leagues today announced
plans for a "famine" parade ac-
cording to the announcement,
100,000 men and women have
pledged themselves to advance
upon city hall on December 9 and
demand that the mayor do all in
his power to "give them the right
to continue in existence."

Members Of Diet Squad Gain In Weight; Cost Of Feeding To Stay Near 40c. Limit

Chicago, Nov. 27.—Hope
that expense of feeding the
twelve members of the Chic-
ago Health Department's Diet
Squad might drop much be-
low the prescribed cost limit
of forty cents a day a per-
son has been abandoned, Dr.
J. D. Robertson, health com-
missioner said today. "The
exact cost will be made pub-
lic at the end of the test," he
said, "but I do not hesitate
to say that it is going to be
close to the forty cents a day
maximum for the food line.
We have made no allowance
for light, heat, service or other
overhead expenses." Dr.
Robertson urged that it be
remembered that the purpose
of the test is not to show how

Congressional Committee Resumes Investigation

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—The
joint congressional committee in-
vestigating transportation problems re-
sumed its sessions today with Alfred

SHIP IN DISTRESS

[BULLETIN]
San Francisco, Calif., Nov. 27.—
The Norwegian steamer Neils
Neilsen is in distress 250 miles
west of Seattle, according to ad-
vices received today by the Unit-
ed States radio station here.
Wireless advices were that the
vessel had lost her propeller and
was attempting to return to an
American port.

The U. S. S. South Dakota and
other vessels in the Pacific are go-
ing to the aid of the Neilsen.

The messages received by the
naval radio station here indicat-
ed that the Neilsen was practi-
cally helpless. The Neilsen sailed
from Seattle November 20 for
Vladivostok, carrying a cargo of
munitions.

PRESIDENT'S COLD GREATLY IMPROVED

Washington, Nov. 27.—Presi-
dent Wilson's cold was so much
better today that he went for an
early morning game of golf.
The president had engagements
to see Baron Zwiadnik, charge of
the Austro-Hungarian embassy,
who desires to invite the presi-
dent to attend memorial services
here Wednesday for the late em-
peror; Henderson Martin, a mem-
ber of the Philippine commission;
Hugh Frayme, a member of the
American Federation of Labor;
and Rosin Orr, of the street car
men's union.

FALLS EIGHT STORIES

New York, Nov. 27.—Joseph
Brooks, theatrical manager, was
killed today by a fall from his
eighth floor apartment in West
Seventy-Ninth street.

GOMPERS AGAIN HEADS THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 27.—The
American Federation of Labor
unanimously re-elected the fol-
lowing officers:

President, Samuel Gompers;
first vice president, James Dan-
can; second vice president, Jas.
O'Connell; third vice president,
D. A. Haynes; fourth vice presi-
dent, Joseph P. Valentine; fifth
vice president, John R. Alpine;
sixth vice president, H. B. Per-
ham; seventh vice president,
Frank Duffy, eighth vice presi-
dent, William Green; treasurer,
John B. Lennon; secretary, Frank

BULGAR FORCES FAIL IN COUNTER ATTACK ON CERNA

(Bulletin)
Paris, Nov. 27.—Bulgarian forces
on the Macedonian front launched a
counter-attack on the Serbians in
the Cerna river region last night, the

BULGARS AND GERMANS CROSS DANUBE AT TWO POINTS EAST OF THE ALT

Sofia, Nov. 26, via London Nov.
27.—The Bulgarian and German forces
under Field Marshal Von Mackensen
have crossed the Danube at two
points east of Alt Valley, according
to an official statement issued by
the office today. The first crossing
was made by the Bulgarians near
Sivastova, about fifty miles east of
the foot of the Alt Valley. The
second crossing was made by the
Germans near Simevil at the mouth
of the Alt.

Judge Cochran To Hear Case Dec. 9th

Covington, Ky., Nov. 27.—Fight-
ing Adamson eight-hour law has
been joined by the C. & O. railroad
in a suit filed Saturday in federal
court at Covington, for an injunc-

Muskingum Commissioners Criticised

Columbus, O., Nov. 27.—County
commissioners of Muskingum
county are severely criticised and
bridge contractors in the county
are held to owe the county more
than \$7,000 in a report filed by
John Young, state examiner, with
the state bureau of accounting, to-

day. Commissioners are charged
with allowing payments to con-
tractors without inspecting the
work. Some of the masonry work,
according to the examiner, "re-
sembles the play masonry of small
boys."

If county officials do not inves-
tigate the matter further it is sug-
gested by the state examiner that
the taxpayers petition the state
auditor for a further investiga-
tion.

Don't let another sun set with
your WANT untold. Use the
TIMES which reaches over 9,000
homes every day.

Poor To Get Potatoes On Thanksgiving

New York, Nov. 27.—A harvest of
potatoes, gathered at the Church of
the Stranger, will be distributed
among the poor Wednesday as a
Thanksgiving offering. At the re-
quest of the pastor, worshippers who
attended the church services yester-
day, were requested to drop at least
one potato in barrels placed near the
door. The collection was large
enough to pack fifty or sixty baskets.

Making Curry: When making curry always use a
wooden spoon. Iron spoons spoil the
aroma of the spices.

WEATHER

One—Fair tonight and Tues-
day. Warmer tonight.

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THERE IS NOTHING IN IT

There be scientists who maintain there is something in heredity, yes, they go further and maintain a human being is born not only to certain predilections, but actually committed to certain course and deed.

That theory has striking support in the case of a Chicago youth, unfolded in Milwaukee's criminal court, Friday. This lad, an orphan of 19, has received the best possible moral training, being the ward of a good and learned priest. He was a prodigy, a genius in chemicals, inventing processes for making dyes of a quality superior to any the world now knows. A short time ago he was given a contract for a salary of \$10,000 a year, a bonus of as much, if he could produce by his processes a certain quantity in a given time and to all that a third interest in a capitalized business of \$50,000. Every condition he almost at once demonstrated his ability to meet. But an opportunity presented itself to him to steal \$10,000 from the man, who had faith enough in his ability to give his great opportunity, and he stole. Think of that, in spite of all his training and teaching, throwing away his future and a fabulous fortune for a paltry \$10,000. Doesn't it look like he was just a natural born thief and couldn't help it?

Yes, it does, but even if it be the case, it would not be well to accept it. For there is no more false and dangerous doctrine, fatal to the individual and injurious to society than "I couldn't help it." Fundamentally, there is no weakness that there is not strength to resist, especially is this so when from youth upward the individual has been taught the difference between vice and virtue. And in this instance related we have but a case seemingly to the contrary. In his defense they will begin to look for a dishonesty strain in his ancestry. Mayhap, they will find it, as all ancestry is said to have been robbers and highwaymen at one time or another, and then they will exultantly exclaim: "Ah, didn't we tell you so?" Sounds reasonable, but listen: You have heard that excuse, got it from his father, a thousand times, but did you ever notice any noise made about a man getting his honesty from his forebears? In court they never say a word, the rules of evidence will not so much as permit, to the effect that an accused is all right, because his father and mother before him were all right. Sometimes they do attempt to prove the prisoner was of good repute, but frequently no mercy for dead or living is present in the attempt to establish defense through showing his people were bad before him. One result is neither more natural, nor common than the other.

NOW IS THE TIME

We owe an apology to someone, we know not whom.

During the campaign there was a suspicious amount of talk that investigation of frauds and other illegal incidents of elections. The authority that put the rumors thereof afoot was never revealed itself and it was quite natural to assume they were mere "bluffs." However, this appears not to be the case. It is known federal officials and agents have been exceedingly busy, both preceding and succeeding election day, and rather reliable reports are abroad that big batches of indictments will be returned all over the country.

As has been said before this is a most auspicious time to expose and penalize election frauds and irregularities, if any there have been. In the present temper of the public mind, conviction on a proper showing of guilt is more probable, and there is less likelihood of prosecutions taking on a solely partisan cast. In truth, if we may believe these same rumors, the department of justice has been playing no favorites in the investigations it has been making, and politicians and offenders of all sorts of political persuasions will be called on to more than explain their conduct, they'll have to show it hasn't been at all as the evidence collected shows.

The new dime is threatened with retirement because the designer cleverly tucked his initial into the neck of the Goddess and this ruse was not discovered until the dies were cast and a large quantity of the pieces minted. It is singular the discovery was not made sooner, but this instance is not the first of the kind in the country's coinage experience.

Looking squarely at West Virginia we will say the politicians of that state dare do anything they can do, and what is more get away with it. Both the law courts and the court of public opinion in West Virginia seem sadly awry.

It is in part accounted for. Jeannette Rankin, the female congressman from Montana, hails from the vicinity of a Portsmouth—the New Hampshire one.

All we could wish for the future of the Peerless so long as we shall be given to pergrinate in her midst is that she may fill up additions quite as rapidly and numerously as they are being laid out.

And once more we rise to remark that it is some weather for the season, or any season or climate for that matter.

Another reason why we should build more brick roads. Lime-stone has gone up.

Can't make the late Candidate Hughes believe, along with about six million others, 13 isn't an unlucky number. That was the number of the ballot he cast on that fatal November 7.

A FORCED PLUNGE



Roosevelt has reiterated his determination to say nothing for six months. If he keeps to it the period will seem short enough, but, oh, how happy.

Portsmouth is getting to be cosmopolitan and also some other things, if her measure is to be taken from recorded affairs and disorders.

Billy Sunday says he is going to chase the devil out of Boston. Thinking it is Billy that says it, it may be looked upon as a most modest declaration.

As it turns out New York wasn't needed, but all the same it would have been mighty comforting to have her along in good company.

It is all settled now, but we haven't reference to that Sunset avenue matter, to be sure.

We haven't a thing to say about the fall of Monstir, but we'll not be a bit surprised to learn tomorrow that there is no such place on the map.

The inmates of the state's institutions are not to dine on Thanksgiving turkey. Is that because the state can't pay the price or our good young governor, soon to be such no longer forever, wants to make a showing at retrenchment?

Portsmouth is to have another modern school house. That will give her an equipment in that line second to none other.

This state doesn't need new laws, it needs about a million cumbersome and noxious ones repealed. Still, nevertheless and notwithstanding, we wager our old summer cap a thousand bills will be introduced at the next session of the legislature.

The banks are heaping up money. First time in the history of the country the people had more money than they knew what to do with. Why they can't even spend it all on automobiles.

The eighteen thousand cotton mill operatives at Lowell get a wage raise. Everything going up these days, except the thermometer and the Ohio.

A high flyer never meets riches on the way, though they are said to take unto themselves wings.

Evening dress has been barred from French places of amusement during the war. There are some American sufferers from the same ailment who would welcome a permanent decree of this kind in the United States.—Springfield (Ohio) Sun.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.
O. O. MCINTYRE.

New York, Nov. 27.—There is a young man on Washington Square who has had a big place in his heart for a certain girl and often he day-dreamed, always playing the romantic lead. And then the other day he drew up to her home in a purring limousine.

She greeted him radiantly and they sped over the hill and far away from the city into the distant mountains. They talked and speculated on the distant future for hours and it was dark when they glided, on high, down Fifth avenue. The girl snuggled close to him and it was a sweet and delicious silence.

It was the silence that comes before the most momentous moment in life. He was just about to whisper the all-important question when a low, uncultured voice smote his ear and punctured his reverie.

"Hey, you!! Whatta ye doin? Goin' mad?" said the voice. "Where's your lights? And whatta you drivin' on the wrong side for? You just missed hittin' three people. Get into court at 10 in the morning."

Zip! went the dreams of the great home-making. They completed their journey in silence. He was in a merry mess. It was a new job and his boss was away in the country and against orders and without permission he had borrowed the car.

All the big hotel men were in town last week to attend the national convention. They were given the key to the city by the mayor and wherever they went they were warmly welcomed.

"I have been meeting you gentlemen at \$3 a day and up for years," said the mayor. "And I want you to feel at home in New York." The out-of-town visitors were very much impressed with the way all of the New York hotels have made dancing a part of hotel service.

Many of them said they were going right back home and put in dancing floors. Speeches of welcome were also made by John McK. Bowman, George Boldt, Copeland Townsend and the famous Oscar.

It is a rough life for the insurance agent these days. The American companies have grown more and more strict in their examinations. So many folk are being rejected that

a group of New Yorkers are planning a company for Unsafe Risks.

It is said that it will provide a way to corner the chronic insurance dodgers. The chronic insurance dodger will find it useless to plead that his grandfather died of rickets in his infancy and that he has a lesion of the heart and an uncontrollable tendency to walk on railroad tracks.

"Just the man," the insurance agent will coo. Please sign on the dotted lines." The men who are urging the company for Unsafe Risks declare that many of the men declared unfit outline those declared by doctors to be safe risks. In other words they want to take a chance and gamble against the doctor's prognostications.

In a famed Beau Palace on Broadway where the waiters deal 'em off the arm an absent-minded gentleman from out of town wandered the other afternoon. When he started out the cashier called him to the cage.

"Tryin' to slip out without payin' your check, eh?" he inquired. "I've had nothing to eat. I just wandered in here. I don't know what made me. I guess I'm just absent-minded."

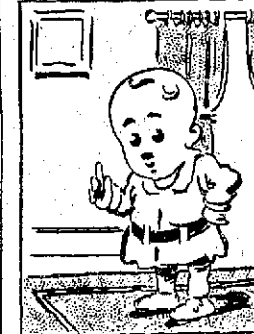
"Yes, I guess you are. I'll just give you an absent treatment, too, and he sent for a cop. The cop came, heard the man's story, and when the manager and cashier protested against letting him go they were arrested for disorderly conduct.

The dazed men went out and remarked that it was strange what a rumprun you could cause in New York by going in a wrong door.

FORGET YOUR ACHES

Stiff knees, aching limbs, lame back make life a burden. If you suffer from rheumatism, gout, lumbago, neuralgia, get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, the universal remedy for pain. Easy to apply; it penetrates without rubbing and soothes the tender flesh. Cleaner and more effective than musky ointments or poultices. For strains or sprains, sore muscles or wrenched ligaments—resulting from strenuous exercise, Sloan's Liniment gives quick relief. Keep it on hand for emergencies. At your Druggist, 25c.

Koot-Poots



(By J. F. D. and Shonke)

Of all the faults or pains or ails The worst is biting finger nails.

People watch you—hear them say,

"You'll bite your toe nails too some day."

So quit this habit, let them grow, If you're a Koot Poot make it show.

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E. E. Johnson Visits Here

E. E. Johnson, former chief clerk in the local D. & O. railroad office, now agent for that company at Athens, spent Sunday with friends in Portsmouth. Mr. Johnson is well-pleased with his new surroundings at Athens.

Joins Club

O. O. Albrecht, a state examiner who has many friends in Portsmouth, and whose headquarters are in Cincinnati, has just joined the Duckworth Club of the Queen City.

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When using a gas range, if the flame blackens the utensil, it is because the burners need cleaning and adjusting. If the flame in the heating stove is yellow, it is due to the same cause.

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Procreation

Somewhere upon a shelf now lies

A shirt that's just about my size, And twined around a button twice

There is a tag that shows the price.

I do not know whose hands have toiled

Upon this shirt; whose fingers soiled

The calico of which it's made, Nor how much for the work was paid.

I cannot with assurance say If it is modest, loud or gay,

"Is one of thousands of its kind That wait some loving eye to find,

And this one shirt, upon a shelf, That I might never buy myself,

Is destined mine at last to be And hang upon our Christmas tree.

Somewhere to catch a friendly eye

Within a store there hangs a tie, And, somehow now, I live in dread,

This piece of neckwear's fiery red.

Thousands will see it flaunting there,

But only one will count it fair; Yes, only one will count it fine,

And she will be a friend of mine. I cannot tell just what she'll see

In it to make her think of me, But once she looks upon that tie

To me her gentle thoughts will fly.

Though she has never seen me wear

A thing like that, she will not care.

On Christmas Day, by every sign, That tie's predestined to be mine.

Somewhere there lies a pretty box

That holds suspenders, scarf and socks,

And oh, I shudder when I think The color scheme of them is pink;

Because I know on Christmas Day

That outfit's bound to come my way.

I am sure as I can be

That certain box will fall to me.

Though many will their beauty view

Those pink forget-me-nots or blue,

Surpassing all that ever bloomed, To be my Christmas gift are doomed.

In fancy now I plainly see

The gifts that fate selects for me.—Detroit Free Press.

Went With The Ticket

A colored auntie was taking her first ride on a fast train, when it jumped the track and plunged headlong into the ditch. After the crash "auntie" picked herself up and began munching a chicken wing she had brought along for sustenance. The conductor hurried up to ascertain the damage.

"Were you hurt in the smash-up?" he asked excitedly.

"Law, no!" she replied in astonishment. "Wuz there a smashup? I to rese vere com-bustifications went right along wif de ticket."—Argonaut.

Of Course

"My friend, the glazier, has a sad life."

"Why shouldn't it be? Isn't it full of panes.—Baltimore American.

No Cause For Worry

Mrs. De Style.—Oh, doctor, you must do something to get me on my feet. This is my "at home" day.

Doctor.—Don't worry, madam. You'll be at home all right.—Boston Transcript.

The Result

"The tall, handsome policeman yonder does not seem to be doing much."

"Indeed, he is. He is arresting attention."—Baltimore American.

Strictly Temperate

He.—Let's go out and have a tee-a-tee.

She.—All right, but don't let 'em make mine too strong.—Baltimore American.

The Test

"I suppose when you went out in your touring car, you felt it was a turning point in your career."

"It was. My wife turned pale and the car turned turtle."—Baltimore American.

Natural Theory

"I see where the captain of the Deutschland says one time 'she stood on her head.' Why did she do that?"

"I suppose for divers reasons."

Liked Big Game

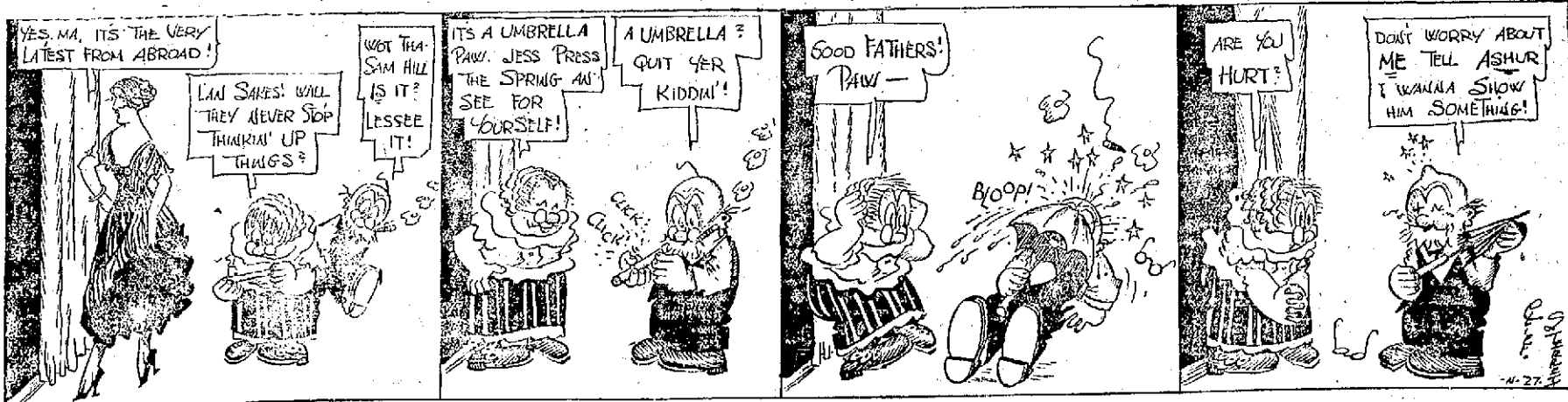
Sportsman (wishing for fresh foods to conquer)—I should like to try my hand at big game.

Fair Ignoramus.—Yes, I suppose you find it very hard to hit these little birds.—Tit-Bits.

POLLY AND HER PALS

Pa'll Take Twice the Punishment to Give Half of It to Ashur!

By CLIFF STERRETT



Family Awakened By Smoke Pouring Into Rooms, Fire Destroys Home

To Complete Road In Ten Days

Ten days of such weather as Sunday and the paving between Sciotoville and Wheelersburg will be completed, according to John J. Harper, county engineer. And within two or three days

after the work is completed, it will be opened for traffic. So citizens using this road need not fear that temporary roads and indirect routes will have to be used this winter, according to En-

gineer Harper.

The paving down as far as Lindsay Hollow is to be completed by Tuesday evening and opened for traffic. This will leave 1,400 feet of concrete base to install and 1,000 feet of curb to install.

LOCAL PEOPLE IN PERIL AS TWO CARS COLLIDE

A Studebaker touring car belonging to O. D. Chinn, New Boston grocer, and the Overland touring car belonging to O. P. Doty, of Hanging Rock, met head-on Saturday evening at 5:30 o'clock, near the underground crossing three miles below Hanging Rock, the Chinn car being driven toward home by Louie Chinn. Mr. Doty was also on his way home to Hanging Rock.

In the Chinn car were Lonie Chinn, Olive and Lillian Chinn, Goldie and Gwendolyn O'Neal and Mary Yueneger, who had witnessed the P. H. S. I. S. football game in Ironton.

A wagon was on the road in front of Chinn, and according to his story Mr. Doty had stopped and he started to go around the wagon when Mr. Doty suddenly started, the two machines hitting head-on. Ivan Riley, garage man of Ironton, happened along and took the local young people to Ironton, where they boarded an N. & W. train for home.

Both machines received practically the same damages, the windshield being broken, bumpers broken, front axles bent, fenders bent and radiators damaged. The cars were taken to Ironton garages for repairs. Luckily no one was injured, except Lonie Chinn, who received bruises to his back.

Mayor Holds Little "Fining Bee" Monday

A steelworker giving the name of Newt McCann was arrested by Officer Dolbins for creating a disturbance on Twelfth street near Railroad Sunday afternoon.

McCann was fined \$10 in police court Monday, but half of the fine was suspended pending good behavior. A man giving the name of Frank Gracraft was fined \$10 for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Steve Arnold, who was drunk at the N. & W. depot, was fined \$5. It was Vivian Bayless' first appearance before the present mayor, and he was given a \$5 suspended fine for intoxication. A carpenter giving the name of C. W. Boyd, who was charged with vagrancy, or begging on the streets, was dismissed.

Sam Bradshaw was fined \$10 for drunkenness, as it was his second offense in twenty-four hours. George Walker was the name given by a stranger who staggered into the

Washington hotel lobby Saturday night and was arrested. He was fined \$5.

Cases set for hearing Monday night include the following: Charles Womack, aged 22 years, son of Albert Womack, a newly appointed police officer, for fighting with Ralph Hewitt Saturday night. Hewitt's head was hurt when he was knocked to the sidewalk during the fight.

A man giving the name of William Beasott, who was disorderly aboard a street car Saturday night, the crew of the car arresting him and turning him over to the police. John Ackerman, who is charged with drunkenness, and John Bond, who was drunk and tried to interfere with Officer Harding while he was arresting Ackerman.

Clyde Hendren, a city employee, who was arrested for disorderly conduct upon complaint of a sister, who said she would appear in court against him.

K Boys Meet Tonight

Sergeant Larsen, instructor of non-commissioned officers of the Seventh Regiment, Marietta, will be in the city this evening to attend the regular meeting of Company K, O. N. G., Captain W. J. Keyes announced Monday. All officers and privates are requested to attend the meeting this evening. Inspection will be held some time in January.

Will Discuss "Pork"

The directors of the board of trade will hold a special meeting Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, Masonic Temple, for the purpose of discussing the thirteenth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which is to be held at Washington, D. C., December 6, 7 and 8.

R. E. Thomas, secretary, stated Monday that one of the main topics discussed at this meeting would be "What do you know about 'Pork'?"

One of the officers of the congress in discussing this

question said: "But there has been such a vast amount of loose talk on the subject that the accent is to be placed on the 'Know'. No one has yet been found who will admit that there is any 'Pork' in his own pet project; it is always somewhere else and usually a long ways off. So, if a man from Maine criticizes a project in California, or a man from Minnesota jumps on a waterway in Texas, he will be expected to tell just how he comes to know so much about things two or three thousand miles away from where he lives."

GERARD TO CONFER WITH PRESIDENT

Washington, D. C., Nov. 27.—Ambassador Gerard, home from Berlin on vacation, paid his first visit to the state department today since his arrival and later

with Mrs. Gerard was a guest of the German Ambassador and Countess von Bernstorff. Mr. Gerard will see President Wilson before leaving the city.

they paraded and whooped below, while the Democratic brethren looked on and felt "blue". But—

"Oh what a difference in the morning! In the morning!"

Then came the Democrats turn to celebrate, and it was some celebration! They got most of the bands from surrounding towns—even as far away as Athens, and there was heap big noise and oodles of excitement. At last reports Nelsonville was getting

over it nicely and everybody "pals" again.

Velocity of Raindrops. Of course we all know that it would be an utter impossibility for storm clouds to form and rain to fall were it not for the miles of atmosphere that rise above our heads. But, supposing it were possible for human beings to exist in an atmosphere that only rose to a level with their mouths and that storm clouds could form in the region outside such a low grade atmosphere, then every raindrop would prove as fatal to earthly creatures as it were a steel bullet fired from a dynamite gun.—London Nature.

LEET LUMBER PLANT IS TO BE REVAMPED

To Vote On Improvements

The Leet Lumber company, one of the largest concerns of its kind in Southern Ohio, will materially increase its output and plant, according to an announcement made Monday by Albert Graf, vice-president.

The proposed new buildings and the changes in the arrangements of the machinery will entail an expenditure of several thousand dollars and will increase the output of this plant about forty percent. Work on the new additions and the installation of new machinery is to be started shortly after the holidays.

Two new additions to the present plant, corner of Washington and Ninth streets, are to be of brick and two stories in height. The first addition is to be a machinery building and will be 25 by 115 feet in size. Heavy machinery will be installed on the ground floor and light machinery on the second floor. A three drum sander will be added to the equipment.

The second building will be 40 by 115 and will be used as a storage. The present system of power transmission is to be eliminated and the individual motor installed. The machinery in the present building is to be re-arranged.

The boiler and engine will be moved to a new building set apart from the rest of the plant and a heavy generator installed to generate the current for the motors. The steam from the engine will also operate the lumber kilns and furnish heat for the buildings in the winter time.

The main entrance to the plant will be on Washington street, near Ninth street.

The annual output of The Leet Lumber company is about 8,000,000 feet.

At present forty men are employed by the company. The new improvements will not add to the number of men employed, but will add slightly to the payroll.

Meet Me At Nye's Fountain. 121f

Father Goebel Will Assist

Rev. Father T. A. Goebel held mass a half hour earlier than usual at St. Mary's church Monday morning to enable him to catch a train for Wheelersburg, where he will assist in the Devotion of the Forty Hours at the Catholic church there.

Failed To Find Prowler

Officers Goings, Lewis and Osborn were dispatched to the Floyd Wells home at No. 1619 Fifth street late Sunday night to search for a prowler, but he had made a successful get-away.

OBITUARY

Miss Margaret Reed, aged 32 years, of Chesapeake, Lawrence county, died at Hempstead Hospital Sunday morning at 10:35 o'clock of tumor of the brain. Miss Reed had also been suffering with paralysis. She was admitted to the hospital only five days ago but had been a patient there last year for four weeks. The body was turned over to Undertaker Lynn to await word from relatives as to its disposition.

Mrs. Mollie Marten. News of the death of Mrs. Mollie Marten, which occurred in Columbus Sunday, was received here yesterday. Mrs. Marten, who was past 60 years of age and is a widow of the late Charles Marten, formerly resided on Fourth street near Union in this city. She had for years been afflicted with asthma. She is survived by three daughters, the Misses Bess, Kate and May Marten. The funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon from the home of the in the Capital City.

The body on Wednesday morning will be shipped to Cincinnati, where burial will be made.

TAKING A STRIKE VOTE

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 27.—Conductors, engineers, trainmen and firemen of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad, were voting today whether a strike should be authorized to back up a demand that the road discuss grievances with a joint committee of the four big brotherhoods.

Views regarding proposed improvements to the St. Mary's school and deep interest seemed to be displayed by members at a congregational meeting held in the school hall Sunday morning.

Rev. T. A. Goebel presided at the meeting, which was well attended. The free and open discussion developed some very interesting points and deep interest seemed to be displayed by everybody present.

A vote on the proposed improvements will be taken next Sunday morning and upon its result the pastor and wardens will be guided in making their recommendation to the bishop.

LUCASVILLE TO GET BANK?

Several business men from Adams county visited Lucasville last week, with a view of establishing a bank in that village, it was learned Monday.

Information concerning suitable buildings for rent, the annual yield of corn on the surrounding farms, the amount of stock raised and the value of the dairy products shipped, was collected by these men.

Negro Beats Wife With Stove Poker

Sergeant John Smith responded to a hasty call and arrested Hardy Thomas, a negro, for beating up his wife with a wooden stove poker at their home, No. 1213 Fourteenth street, Sunday afternoon.

The woman was bleeding profusely from a half-dozen wounds when the officer reached the home. Thomas himself had little to say in explanation of his act, further than to accuse his wife of being too friendly with other men. He was locked up at the city prison and will be given a hearing in court Monday evening.

WESLEY HAMMOCK IS UNDER ARREST

Wesley Hammock, an East End man who left an affidavit at Squire John W. Byron's office Saturday morning, charging Police Captain Roma Walker with assaulting his son, John Hammock, after arresting him for alleged stealing hides recently, was himself arrested late Saturday night on a charge of drunkenness.

Officer William Osborn arrested Hammock at the George Poehr saloon on New English street. Hammock pleaded not guilty to the charge in police court Monday morning and Mayor Knapp reserved judgment until Monday evening, when he will question Officer Osborn in order to get the facts concerning the arrest.

Womack Is Policeman

Albert Womack, of No. 1201 1/2 Twelfth street, has been appointed to one of the vacancies on the police force. He has been as-

signed to a night beat in the East End. Mr. Womack for the past two years, has been employed as a driver for Grocer James Good-pastor.

Dr. Edward Pirrung Lands Fine Post

Now a well-known young former Portsmouth physician is steadily advancing in his profession is told in the following from Sunday's Cincinnati Enquirer:

Dr. Edward Pirrung, 1218 Walnut street, is to be the new Assistant Police and Fire Surgeon.

"Graduating from the Miami Medical College in 1905, Dr. Pirrung has won a prominent place in the medical fraternity. He was lecturer at the Miami Medical College in 1909, when the school became a part of the Medical College of the University of Cincinnati. He has held

the post of Lecturer on Surgery, Fractures and Dislocations in the college since that time. "Dr. Pirrung is surgeon at Good Samaritan Hospital, President of the medical alumni of the University of Cincinnati, member of the Executive Councils of University Alumni, Vice President of the Academy of Cincinnati, a fellow in the American College of Surgeons and senatorial representative of the College of Surgeons, State of Ohio.

In his studies abroad he took post-graduate work in surgery in Paris and in Bern, Switzerland."

Piloted Over "Hot Sands"

Dr. S. P. Fetter, William E. Claggett, W. S. Kennedy, William H. McCleary and Howard K. Moore were among the thirty-six candidates who comprised the Caravan of Nov-

ices piloted "over the hot sands" at the fall ceremonial of Syrian Temple Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, at Scottish Rite Cathedral, Cincinnati, Saturday.

N. & W. Suffers \$200,000 Loss In Shop Blaze

Ranoke, Va., November 27.—The shops, roundhouse, oil house, and other out-buildings of the Norfolk and Western Railroad at Shenandoah, Va., were destroyed by fire today. It is estimated the loss is \$200,000. Four locomotives were destroyed.

Thousands of people go through TIMES WANT ADS every night. They read them with profit.

How to Find Opportunities Through Want Ads

— No. 22. —

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